

WEATHER FORECAST
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Tuesday:
Victoria and vicinity—Southerly winds,
mostly cloudy and cool, with showers.
Lower Mainland—Easterly winds, cloudy
and cool, with rain.

Victoria Daily Times

WHERE TO GO TO-NIGHT
Royal—The Unpardonable Sin.
Princess—The American Citizen.
Pantages—Vaudville.
Dominion—Mrs. Wiggs; Cabbage Patch.
Variety—The Brand.
Columbia—The Woman of Redemption.
Romance—The Disciple.

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TWENTY PAGES

HAWKER AND GRIEVE SAFE ON BRITISH SOIL

GENERAL STRIKES ARE STARTED IN THE CITIES OF EDMONTON AND CALGARY TO AID WINNIPEG STRIKE

**Walk-Outs in Two Towns Are in Sympathy With Strike
in Manitoba Capital; Workmen Left Their Places
This Forenoon; News Is Lacking**

Calgary, May 26.—The cities of Calgary and Edmonton are now in the throes of general strikes in sympathy with the Winnipeg strikers. The walk-out commenced at the appointed hour this morning and a big majority of organized workers will be idle by noon.

Vancouver, May 26.—Word received from Calgary at noon indicated that the general strike went into effect there at 11 o'clock this forenoon as scheduled. Although the newspapers are allowed to continue publication, the press telegraphers have struck. The commercial operators still remain at their posts.

Early this afternoon the union forces had refused to comply with demands made by Federal, Provincial and municipal officials that unionized public service employees return to work immediately. Government officials stated that their reply would be immediate action to resume and maintain public services and to provide the incidental protection.

News Lacking.
Vancouver, May 26.—Details are lacking as to the full effect of the strikes in Calgary and Edmonton. The operators who man the news wires of the Canadian Press, Ltd., in and out of both cities are involved and no news was available from these towns up to noon. It is not clear whether the daily newspapers in the strike towns will be able to operate, but the probabilities are that the absence of a news service from the outside world and the almost certain participation in the strike of the Webb pressmen will make the printing of newspapers almost impossible. It is understood that the strike in each city will be general, involving all the telegraphers and telephone operators, and linemen. In the news wires of the Canadian Press, Ltd., there will be now but one relay, at Regina, where there normally are two relays, and the only strike news carried on these wires will be Government reports issued at Ottawa.

For the past ten days the Associated Press reports on the Winnipeg situation have been carried through the United States by carrier from Winnipeg to the international boundary. This service necessarily is limited in volume but it will be available under the new strike conditions. Similar news service from Calgary and Edmonton will be more difficult to carry out.

Edmonton Vote.
A dispatch received here last evening said that Edmonton unions had voted 3 to 1 for a sympathetic strike, to go into effect this forenoon at 11 o'clock.

Calgary Vote.
A dispatch from Calgary received last night said a general strike had been called in Calgary to take effect at 11 o'clock this forenoon. Practically all unions affiliated with the Trades Council would be affected, the vote being 4 to 1 in favor of a strike. Essential activities, such as police and fire protection, delivery of milk, bread and other necessities would be carried on. Hotel and restaurant employees also had been requested to stay at work. It also was expected that the two local dailies would be allowed to continue to publish.

At Regina.
Regina, May 26.—This evening the Regina Trades and Labor Council will reach some decision as to what action shall be taken in sympathy with the Winnipeg general strike. Union feeling here is running very strong and in all probability a strike will be called.

At Winnipeg.
Winnipeg, May 26.—Shortly after a statement from Hon. Gideon Robertson, Dominion Minister of Labor, was made public to-day declaring that Dominion employees on strike here had an opportunity to-day to determine whether the "Government is bluffing," word was received from Calgary, Saskatoon and Edmonton that sympathetic strikes would be called in those cities to-day because of the Government's attitude.

It is understood that the Ottawa Ministers received formal notification of the threatened action in the western cities. Senator Robertson announced that the Government's attitude was final, that the Winnipeg postal clerks should fail to return to work by noon to-day would be discharged from the service, and that the Government would not be influenced by demonstration in other Canadian cities.

At Lethbridge.
Ottawa, May 26.—The Minister of Labor has appointed a board of conciliation to deal with the dispute between the Council of the City of Lethbridge and municipal employees, including street cleaners. H. L. Wilson, of Lethbridge, will represent the city and D. Macnab, also of Lethbridge, the employees. They are conferring on the selection of a chairman.

KILLED BY BOULDER.
St. John, N. B., May 26.—James T. Duke, a civil engineer, brother of Rev. William Duke, rector of the Roman Catholic Cathedral here, was killed at Courtenay Bay when a boulder moved by a heavy blast struck him in the back.

AFGHAN LEADER ASKS BRITISH TO MAKE ARMISTICE

Simla, May 25.—Via London, May 26.—The Afghanistan Commander-in-Chief has written the British political agent at Kyber asking for an armistice.

BAPTIST CONVENTION.
Denver, Col., May 26.—Buffalo, N. Y., to-day, was unanimously selected by the Northern Baptist Convention as the meeting place for the 1920 convention of the church.

WILSON HONORED.
Lausanne, Switzerland, May 26.—President Wilson has sent an acceptance of the honorary citizenship of the City of Lausanne offered him recently by the municipality.

DISARMAMENT SCHEME WILL BE PROPOSED BY GERMAN DELEGATION

Berlin, May 26.—Information has been received from unimpeachable sources that the counter-proposals to be made by Germany to the Peace Conference will declare in favor of military disarmament, saying that Germany is ready to reduce her forces to 350,000 within two months after the conclusion of peace, and by the expiration of another year to cut the size of the army down to 200,000 men.

It will be declared that in spite of internal disorders and the necessity for defending her frontiers, Germany thus agrees to disarm ahead of all other powers. It is pointed out that this gives adequate proof of Germany's determination to renounce all militaristic and imperialistic tendencies.

German Ideas.
Copenhagen, May 25, via London, May 26.—According to The Hamburg Fremdenblatt, the counter-proposals of Germany will include a demand that the administration of the Rhine districts shall remain with Germany; Germany to deliver coal to France from the Ruhr and Saar districts, but not to acknowledge the plebiscite proposed for 1924; Poland to be given the district to the line of demarcation fixed by the armistice; other German eastern districts to hold plebiscites under United States and neutral direction; Danzig to be a free harbor, at the disposal of Poland, which would be allowed to have its own railway connection between that city and Poland.

Reply About Ready.
A semi-official statement issued in Berlin yesterday said the German counter-proposals on the peace treaty would be completed at the beginning of this week. The document would be based on the principle of right contained in Secretary Lansing's note. It was added that the counter-proposals would attempt to remove "the contradiction in the Allied proposals whereby Germany's economic requirements are rendered impossible." Germany at the same time being expected to bear the hardest economic imposition.

Want Help.
The statement would make positive proposals of what Germany could and could not do and would declare it fulfillment of certain requirements would be possible only through community of effort by Germany and her enemies.

The statement expressed the opinion that the counter-proposals would be published in Berlin simultaneously with their presentation at Versailles.

Germans Will Ask

**Allies for No New
Extension of Time**

Paris, May 26.—The French Government has received from the German peace delegation the assurance that it will ask no further extension of time for consideration of the peace terms. The extension granted last week expires Thursday.

AMERICAN APPOINTMENT.

Paris, May 26.—Major-General Charles G. Harbord, head of the service of supply of the American Expeditionary Forces, has been relieved of his duties in this connection and detailed as Chief of Staff of the expeditionary forces. Brigadier-General James W. McAndrew, the present Chief of Staff, will go to Washington to become Chief of the War College.

BOLSHEVIKI RETREAT IN PETROGRAD AREA

**Admit They are Falling Back
Following Estonian Troops' Success**

London, May 26.—As a result of the Estonian surprise attack late last week, when the Bolshevik positions along the Pskov front were broken through, and the threat to the line of communication between Petrograd and Pskov at Gatchina, the Bolsheviks are retreating from their positions on the northwestern front, according to a Russian wireless message to-day. The message also says that the Bolsheviks have retired to new positions ten versts (six and two-third miles) east of Riga.

A dispatch received in London yesterday from Copenhagen said that it was reported that Estonian troops had captured Peterhof, nineteen miles west of Petrograd.

A Helsinki newspaper printed a Moscow dispatch saying that Nikolai Lenin, the Bolshevik leader, had offered an armistice to Admiral Kolchak, commanding the anti-Bolshevik forces, in order to consider peace terms.

N. C-4 STILL HELD AT PONTA DELGADA

**Unfavorable Weather Prevents
American Plane From Start-
ing For Lisbon**

Washington, May 26.—Confirming weather forecasts of yesterday, Admiral Jackson, at Ponta Delgada, this morning cabled the Navy Department that the naval seaplane N. C-4 still was held at her moorings by unfavorable flight conditions. Weather reports from the Azores indicated the trans-Atlantic flight probably can not be resumed before Tuesday at the earliest.

The N. C-4, the next leg of whose journey is to Lisbon, was removed yesterday to an anchorage farther inside the breakwater at Ponta Delgada. She is being carefully guarded by a steam launch, which continually circles around her.

In Newfoundland.
St. John's, Nfld., May 26.—Alcott and Brown, operating a Vickers aeroplane, began the assembling of their machine this morning at Quidiuidi, where the Martinsyde machine is located. They have another field in view for the final flight if Quidiuidi should prove unsuitable.

Flying from the latter, lightly loaded, they plan to fill the petrol tanks completely at the new grounds, which may possibly be a field at Harbor Grace apart from the Handley-Page field.

HAWKER AND HIS COMRADE WERE PICKED UP IN MID-OCEAN BY SHIP WHICH HAD NO WIRELESS OUTFIT

**15,000 Killed by
a B.g Volcano on
the Island of Java**

Amsterdam, May 26.—The volcano of Kalut, in Java, burst into eruption and has wiped out twenty villages in the district of Brengat and eleven in the vicinity of Blitar and caused deaths estimated at 15,000, according to a Central News dispatch received here.

The volcano Kalut (Keloet) is one of the fourteen active volcanoes on the island of Java. Kalut is in Eastern Java, south of Surabaya.

OMSK GOVERNMENT TO BE RECOGNIZED

**Allies Decide Also on Condi-
tional Recognition of
Denikine Government**

Paris, May 26.—The Council of Four of the Peace Conference has decided conditionally to recognize the anti-Bolshevik Government of Admiral Kolchak and General Denikine, according to Reuter's Agency here.

Estonian Advances.
London, May 26.—By a surprise attack Friday night, Estonian forces broke through the Bolshevik positions along the Pskov front, captured Izorsk and advanced to within six miles of Pskov, capturing 1,000 prisoners and many cannon and machine guns, according to an official statement issued at Estonian headquarters.

Bolsheviks Have Fears.
London, May 26.—While there is no confirmation from other sources that Nikolai Lenin, the Bolshevik Premier of Russia, has proposed an armistice to Admiral Kolchak, head of the All-Russian Government at Omsk, there are indications that the Bolsheviks are exercised over the fate of Petrograd and Moscow. Wireless dispatches state that the defence committee of Moscow is appealing for women volunteers for military service in towns and admits that non-Bolshevik troops are appearing in the outskirts of Riga on the left bank of the Dvina.

Petrograd.
According to a dispatch from the Reuter correspondent with the Allied forces in the Murmansk region, which reflects military views, there is no doubt entertained that Petrograd can be taken, but it is said its capture would be useless, owing to the inability of the Allies to feed the population as the British line of communication is 500 miles long.

The correspondent adds that Admiral Kolchak's troops should be in Archangel forces. He says once supplies from Siberia are assured, the capture of Moscow and Petrograd will be a matter of only a short time.

**Blocking of Water Circulation System of Sopwith
Aeroplane Forced Intrepid Airmen to Alight Near
Passing Ship 800 Miles From Ireland**

London, May 26.—(Associated Press).—After being missing for six days and virtually given up for lost, Harry G. Hawker and his navigator, Lieut. Commander Mackenzie Grieve, British airmen, who essayed a flight across the Atlantic Ocean without protection against disaster save what their trail aeroplane afforded, are alive and well and are on their way to London, where they will be acclaimed as men returned to life.

Some 1,100 miles out from Newfoundland and 800 from the Irish coast on Monday, May 19, the aviators, making the best of an engine which was failing to function properly, were forced to alight on the water. The little Danish steamship Mary, bound from New Orleans and Norfolk, Virginia, for Aarhus, Denmark, picked the wayfarers up and continued on her voyage.

Lacking a wireless outfit, the captain of the steamship was

obliged to withhold tidings of the rescue until he was opposite Bait of Lewis, Hebrides, where the information was signalled by means of flags that Hawker and Grieve were aboard his ship. Immediately word was flashed to the British Admiralty, which sent out destroyers to overtake the Danish vessel and obtain confirmation. This was done and one of the destroyers took the airmen off, and later transferred them to the flagship Revenge, which headed for Thurso, Scotland.

From the Revenge Hawker sent a message last night that his machine had stopped owing to the blocking of the water circulation system.

Floated Ninety Minutes.

When the aeroplane sped away from her starting point in Newfoundland, Pilot Hawker let loose his wheels and under-rear, thereby lightening the weight of the machine by a considerable amount, but making a possible landing in Ireland a more hazardous venture. This probably proved of much advantage when it became necessary to alight on the water. The aeroplane remained afloat without difficulty during the hour and a half it took the Danish steamship to affect the rescue.

The whole United Kingdom is stirred by the news of the safety of the two aviators.

Mrs. Hawker.
The one person in this country who had always hoped was Mrs. Hawker. She always believed that Providence would protect her husband, and though she received condolences from all classes of people, including the King, she said yesterday that she had never ceased to believe that at some time and in some way her husband would come back.

When Mrs. Hawker received the news early yesterday morning of her home near Surbiton, she posted a notice outside her home reading: "Mr. Hawker has been found. He is on the boat Mary bound for Denmark."

A crowd of villagers soon gathered and showered Mrs. Hawker with congratulations.

Official Confirmation.

An official statement issued in London last night, confirming news dispatches of the rescue of Hawker and Lieut. Commander Mackenzie Grieve, said: "Harry G. Hawker and Lieut. Commander Grieve were rescued in latitude 49 degrees 20 minutes north, and longitude 29 degrees 20 minutes west. They alighted close to a steamship owing to a defect in the water circulation of their motor. Both men are in perfect health. The aeroplane was not saved."

Message from Hawker.

The message sent by Hawker from the destroyed Revenge to The Daily Mail last night said:

"My machine stopped owing to the water filter in the feed pipe from the radiator to the water pump being blocked with refuse, such as solder, and the like shaking loose in the radiator. It was no fault of the Rolls-Royce motor, which ran absolutely perfectly from start to finish, even when all the water had boiled away."

"We had no trouble in landing on the sea, where we were picked up by the tramp ship Mary after being in the water for ninety minutes. We will leave Thurso at 2 p. m. Monday, and will arrive in London Tuesday evening."

Merry Party.

London, May 26.—There was a merry party in the home of Harry G. Hawker. (Concluded on page 4.)

PLANS OF THE ALLIES FOR SAAR BASIN MUST STAND, THE GERMANS ARE INFORMED

Paris, May 26.—(Associated Press).—With the exception of a minor concession, all suggestions and counter-proposals made by Germany for the disposition of the Saar Basin have been rejected by the Allied and Associated Powers. Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau's appeal for an oral discussion of the points at issue on this subject was ignored.

The concession agreed to in the Allies' reply is that Germany may create a private charge upon her assets or revenues for the payment of the mines in the Saar region if the plebiscite should go against France. If, however, the sum agreed upon should not be paid within a year from the date on which it is due, the Reparation Commission would cause payment to be made under instructions from the League of Nations.

This alteration was made in view of Germany's declaration that it was impossible for her to accumulate a sufficient sum of gold with which to pay for the mines in the fifteen years before the plebiscite is taken, since other reparations would constitute a constant drain.

Made Public.

Washington, May 26.—The State Department last night made public the text of notes exchanged by Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, head of the German peace delegation, and M. Clemenceau, President of the Peace Conference, relative to the final determination of the Saar Basin question and the disposition of the Saar coal products. The question was first touched on in a note by the German delegation dated May 13, and later was made the subject of a distinct communication.

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LIST OF SAILINGS AND SOLDIER PARTIES ARRIVING

Revised to Noon, May 26.

The S. S. "Carmania" is due at Halifax May 29 with 1 officer and 12 other ranks for Victoria.

The Hospital Ship "Araguaya" is due at Portland, Maine, May 29, with 7 officers and 77 other ranks for this district.

The Troop Train 1475, from the S. S. "Bohemian," left Halifax May 25 at 9.10 a. m. with 58 other ranks for Victoria.

The C. P. R. Troop Train 745, from the S. S. "Minnehaha," left Chapeau, Ont., 4.35 p. m. on May 25, with 3 officers and 38 other ranks for this district.

The troops from the S. S. "Coronia" for this district left on regular C. P. R. No. 3 west to-day for this district.

The C. N. R. Troop Train 1476, from the "Aquitania," left Moncton, N. B., at 6.15 p. m. on May 25 with 1 officer and 55 other ranks for Victoria.

The Troop Train 752, from the S. S. "Northland," left Port William, Ont., at 5.30 a. m. on May 25 with 3 officers and 37 other ranks for Victoria.



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LORD READING IS THANKED FOR HIS SERVICES IN STATES



London, May 25.—Mr. Lloyd George has addressed a letter to Lord Reading, conveying the Government's thanks for the conspicuous services rendered the Empire while Lord Reading was acting as Ambassador to the United States. The letter assures Lord Reading that he returns to his judicial duties with the gratitude and good-will of the nation and the Empire.

TWO MEN ARE HELD ON FORGERY CHARGES

Vancouver, May 25.—Osman D. Banks, aged sixty, was arrested by Victoria police on Saturday, and as a sequel to his arrest Angus F. Tike, about the same age, was placed in custody here yesterday, both being charged with forgery.

PLANT DESTROYED AT COLLINGWOOD, ONT.

Collingwood, Ont., May 25.—Fire totally destroyed the works of the Imperial Steel and Wire Company here early to-day. The plant had been in operation throughout the war but recently was closed down for overhauling. The loss is estimated at \$500,000.

FORMER SHERIFF NOW ENDORSES IT

"Money Couldn't Buy the Good Tanlac Did Me," Says Prominent Man

"Money couldn't buy the good Tanlac I have done me," and I gladly recommend it for what it has done in my case," said Hon. Archie R. Anderson, of Houston, Texas, Sheriff of Harris County, Texas, recently.

Mr. Anderson is unquestionably, not only one of the best known, but one of the most popular men that ever held public office in the Lone Star State. After serving as Deputy Sheriff of Harris County for twelve years, Mr. Anderson was elected Chief of Police of the City of Houston. He had occupied this office only a short time when the Sheriff of Harris County died. Mr. Anderson's friends persuaded him to make the race for the unexpired term of Sheriff, to which he was easily elected. It was honored with re-election seven times, and served the people in this important office for fifteen consecutive years. Four years ago, Mr. Anderson declined re-election, and retired to private life. He came to live among the people of Houston, and is a large property owner and foremost citizen of this interesting and prosperous city.

"I am in a run-down condition," continued Mr. Anderson, "and had no appetite at all. I could hardly sleep at night, and never felt like getting up in the mornings. I was so tired. I had the worst form of indigestion, suffering all the time from gas on my stomach, and was continually belching up undigested food. I had to take my coffee with sugar. I would eat a few hours, and would be bloated and swell up like I was poisoned and suffered with neuralgia pains of the worst sort, and nothing seemed to help me only in a temporary way. I just can't tell you how I did suffer for the past four years, and up to the time I began taking Tanlac, a few weeks ago.

"When I read the testimonials of some who had been relieved of troubles like mine I just felt like I couldn't make a mistake by taking Tanlac, and it has done me even more good than I had expected. I began to feel better after taking my first bottle, and have just now started on my third, and I'm a different man already. I sleep like a log now, and eat just anything and everything I want without the slightest discomfort afterwards. I am glad to endorse Tanlac because it does the work and I'm telling you I never felt better in my life than I do since taking Tanlac. I am willing for you to publish my statement and let every suffering person who may wish, benefit by my experience with this great medicine."

Tanlac is sold in Victoria by D. E. Campbell, corner Fort and Douglas.

GERMAN DELEGATE URGES REFUSAL

Count Montgelas Would Have Germans Decline to Sign Treaty

Berne, May 25.—The statement that Germany should refuse to sign the military and economic terms of the peace treaty which are not acceptable, was made by General Count Max Montgelas, one of the German delegates to Versailles, to a correspondent of The Morning News, Berlin, according to a Munich dispatch received here.

He said the military terms would now allow Germany a sufficient number of troops to maintain order, the recent events in Berlin and Munich being cited as a proof of this statement. General Montgelas also said that a professional army was a grave danger from an economic point.

He added that the acceptance of the economic clauses would "condemn German workmen to slavery."

A dispatch from Paris last night said Count Max Montgelas and Professor Weber, members of the German peace delegation, had just left for Berlin. Before their departure they approved the reply to be made to the Peace Conference on the provisions of the treaty dealing with the demands for punishment of the former Kaiser and financial arrangements.

Dietrich, another delegate, also left for Berlin last night.

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REORGANIZATION OF OMSK GOVERNMENT

Plan Is to Have Co-ordination Between Civil and Military Control

London, May 25.—A dispatch received here from Omsk, filed May 20, says the work of reorganizing the all-Russian Government is proceeding, it being intended to effect closer co-ordination with the military control and at the same time work more efficiently along the lines of the programme adopted by Admiral Kolchak.

It also is proposed to combine the Ministry of War with the General Staff under the presidency of the Chief of Staff, General Lebedev, who will move to Ekaterinburg, where he will be near the scene of operations.

Situation Satisfactory.

London, May 25.—A dispatch received here from Omsk, Siberia, where it was filed May 20, says: "The military situation is regarded here as satisfactory and each week new units are being equipped and moved toward the front. The Bolsheviks have massed forces in the Samara section in a desperate effort to hold the grain-growing section of the country, without which the Bolshevik regime is bound to collapse. They won a minor success east of Samara, including the re-occupation of the town of Bielebel. This has been offset, however, by the gains made by Siberian forces along the Viatka River. "Fighting is going on in the streets of Orenburg. At Ural'sk, 210 miles southwest of Orenburg, Cossack forces, which have long been carrying on an isolated defensive, have been joined by Siberian troops and the Government's position has been greatly strengthened.

At Ekaterinburg. "Admiral Kolchak, head of the All-Russian Government, has returned from a visit to Ekaterinburg, where he presided at a conference of manufacturers, peasants and industrial organizations in the Ural district. He gave them assurances that the Government would help in rehabilitation of industries and in the building up of transportation facilities.

"Guarantees were given a Jewish delegation that the rights of Jews would be safeguarded—and several Jewish organizations expressed confidence in the Government, sending cash donations for the army.

The land policy of the Government contemplates broadly the parceling out of Government lands and the subdivision of private estates on the basis of a fair compensation to the owners from the Government Treasury."

Tokio, May 24.—Delayed.—(Associated Press).—It is understood it has been officially suggested that recognition by the powers of the Omsk Government be on condition that the Government satisfies all treaties and arrangements entered into by Russia prior to the Bolshevik revolution.

MORE STEAMSHIPS ARE BRINGING MEN

Megantic, Regina and Megagama Are on Way to Canada

London, May 25.—The steamship Megantic sailed yesterday from Liverpool for Quebec, carrying 342 convalescent Canadian soldiers from Liverpool, 685 men from Epsom, 76 nurses, 13 officers and 1 Canadian officer repatriated from the Imperial army.

The steamship Regina is on her way across to Canada, having sailed on Saturday. She has on board 41 officers and 1,451 men from Kinnel Camp, and the 8th and 16th Stationary Hospitals from Bexhill, under Colonel S. Munro and Colonel Seaborn.

The steamship Megagama, which sailed on Saturday for Quebec carries mainly Russian men's dependents and children, including 451 wives, 131 children and a number of men who were with the Imperial forces, and nurses. Lieut.-Colonel Bryce, of the Medical Corps, Lieut.-Col. Hertsberg, of the Engineers, and Corporal Metcalfe, V.C., are aboard.

SS. Cedric.

London, May 25.—(Delayed).—The SS. Cedric sailed yesterday for Halifax carrying 154 officers and 1,150 other ranks of the 2nd Division from Whitley Camp, including 33 officers and 493 men of the 48th Battalion for Regina, 21 officers and 500 men of the 31st Battalion for Calgary, and the 6th Artillery Brigade, consisting of the 18th, 20th and 22nd Batteries, and 2nd and 3rd Sections of the Divisional Ammunition Column Brigade.

GRANBY'S PRESIDENT IS COMING TO THIS COAST

Dr. W. H. Nichols, the well-known manufacturing chemist, and among other offices President of the American Chemical Society, and the Granby Consolidated Mining and Smelting Company, will this week visit this district, en route to Alaska.

Dr. Nichols is chairman of the board of directors of the General Chemical Company, an institution with manufacturing plants in all districts of the United States and Canada; president of the Nichols Chemical Company, one of the largest sulphuric acid manufacturing plants in the world; vice-president and director of the Corn Exchange, National Bank and the Title Guaranty & Trust Company of New York City; doctor of science from Columbia University; doctor of law from Lafayette College, and holder of numerous other scholastic and technical honors, including the Order of the Crown of Italy, awarded him in 1912 by King Victor Emanuel.

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TRAIL SMELTER IS OPERATING AS USUAL

Nelson, B. C., May 25.—There is no foundation for the story that the Trail smelter has closed. The company is operating its plant as usual.

Apparently the rumor arose through the fact that the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Company, which operates the Trail Smelter, let out seventy-five men from its Rossland mines on account of the good progress which has been made on development work. It asked these men to go to Kimberley, where the company's Sullivan mine, the premier plant and lead producer of Canada, is located.

CHILDREN DROWNED.

Sussex, N. B., May 25.—Two children of Silas Dobson, Lillian, aged nine, and Clarence, aged eleven, were drowned in the Kennebecasis River here Saturday evening. Their father was near at the time but did not see the accident. The bodies were recovered.

THOUGHT IT WAS A BOIL Doctor Said Abscess

Mr. Gleason R. Young, Kingscroft, N. B., under date of February 9th, 1918, writes us as follows: "About five months ago, a lump came on my jawbone, I thought it was a boil, and after it had been there quite a while it began to get larger. I went to a doctor and he said it was an abscess, and I gave me a wash for it. He gave me his directions until it healed up, but it commenced coming again, and in about three weeks it broke itself. I thought it would get better, but it didn't. A neighbor advised me to get a bottle of Burdock Blood Bitters, so I sent and got a bottle, and by the time it was all gone, the abscess had disappeared, and now it is all better."

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Rome, May 25.—Gabriele d'Annunzio, the poet-author, resigned his post as a lieutenant-colonel in the Italian army after the general in command of the flying corps to which he was attached had ordered his immediate return to camp. D'Annunzio, who was a volunteer, exercised his right in asking to be retired, saying he considered the order from the general of a political nature rather than military.

A TORONTO DEATH.

Toronto, May 25.—W. D. Matthews, head of the W. D. Matthews Company, grain dealers of this city, died Saturday night.

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MANY SAW AIRMAN LEAP TO HIS DEATH

Mail Aeroplane Caught Fire at Cleveland Yesterday; Aviator Had to Jump

Cleveland, Ohio, May 26.—Hundreds of persons saw Frank McCusker, a New York pilot of a mail aeroplane, leap 200 feet to his death from a burning machine here yesterday. Fifteen minutes before he had announced he would attempt to establish a new record on his flight to Chicago.

The cause of the accident is not known. Eye witnesses saw puffs of black smoke come from the rear of the machine. When the machine was at a height of between 300 and 400 feet, McCusker was seen to climb from his seat to the frame. The aeroplane plunged and the pilot was seen to leap. The machine flew forward 200 yards before it plunged to the ground.

McCusker was alive when picked up, but died in a police patrol while being taken to a hospital.

EXPLOSIONS AND FIRES IN PETROGRAD

Taken to Indicate Bolsheviki Destroying Ammunition Before Retreating

LENINE AND CROWD ARE FACING CRISIS

Paris, May 26.—Interest in the Russian problem, which the Council of Four is considering at every session, is intensified by a dispatch from Finland announcing that explosions and fires have occurred in Petrograd. This is interpreted as meaning that the Bolsheviki are destroying their superfluous ammunition supplies preparatory to retreating southward.

Helsingfors dispatches declare that the Bolsheviki demand for an armistice with Admiral Kolchak has been refused. This, coupled with the reports of anti-Bolshevik advances on Petrograd from the north and west as well as General Kolchak's success along the Trans-Siberian Railroad and General Denikin's advance from the Don district toward the Volga, is regarded in Conference circles as proof that the Bolsheviki Ministers, Lenin and Trotsky, are facing the worst crisis the Bolsheviki government has yet encountered.

Firing Heard.

London, May 26.—A dispatch received here yesterday from a correspondent in Helsingfors said machine gun firing had been heard in Petrograd, and it was reported the populace had risen against the Bolsheviki.

STEVESTON SHACKS DESTROYED BY FIRE

Buildings Occupied by Japanese Fishermen Were Burned Last Night

Vancouver, May 26.—Fire of unknown origin destroyed several shacks occupied by Japanese fishermen at Steveston late last night. The Gulf of Georgia Cannery, situated near the Japanese quarter, was threatened.

At midnight eight houses had been razed and a big proportion of the town was in danger. A strong southwestern wind carried sparks rapidly and residents were forced to stand by all night to protect their homes. The previous two days' rain helped considerably in checking the flames and while the department, the Point Grey firemen prepared for an emergency and were ready for instant call during the night.

Aside from the burning of the Japanese houses, no other serious consequences of the fire were reported.

T. E. MOBERLY, TORONTO WRITER, DIED TO-DAY

Toronto, May 26.—Thomas Edward Moberly, who conducted for several years "The Financier" in The Toronto Mail and Empire, died suddenly at his home here to-day. He was born in Cheshire, Eng. He was for a time private secretary to the late Goldwin Smith and subsequently was editor of The Week, established by Goldwin Smith.

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SIR ROBERT BORDEN BACK IN CANADA

Prime Minister Landed From Aquitania at Halifax Yesterday Morning

May 26.—Sir Robert Borden, returning to Ottawa from the Peace Conference, gave out a statement after landing from the Aquitania here yesterday morning, in which he expressed belief that the Germans eventually would sign the peace treaty; his confidence that the returning soldiers would exert a steady influence on the trend of events in the Dominion, and his appreciation of the work of the conducting staffs responsible for the comfort of Canada's returning army while at sea; the work of the Canadian nurses in the United Kingdom and in the field; the overseas record of General Morrison as head of the artillery, and Hon. A. L. Sifton as chief British representative on the Inter-Allied Commission on the International Regime of Ports, Rivers and Waterways, both of whom returned with him, and his regret at having to decline the public reception arranged for him by the citizens of Halifax owing to the necessity of proceeding to Ottawa with the least possible delay.

The Aquitania arrived in port during Saturday night, and at 5.45 o'clock yesterday morning a lighter bearing Hon. J. D. Reid, Minister of Railways and Canals, and Colonel W. E. Thompson, Acting General Officer Commanding Military District No. 5, went out to bring the Prime Minister ashore. At the landing stage the Prime Minister was welcomed by Lady Borden, and together they proceeded to the waiting special train at the ocean terminals, where breakfast was served. The party included Hon. J. A. Calder, Minister of Immigration, and P. B. McCurdy, M. P.

Col. Baker.

Notable among the returning soldiers was Lieut.-Colonel Barker, who has a wonderful record in the destruction of German aeroplanes and has the V. C., D. S. O. with Bar and the M. C. with Bar.

Another noted officer on board was Major-General E. W. Morrison, of Ottawa.

Besides Sir Robert Borden's party there were on board nearly 500 civilian passengers, somewhat more than half of whom were for the United States, and sail about Wednesday for England. The Aquitania will coal at Halifax and

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RESCUED.

When Hawker and Grieve set out on their attempt to fly across the Atlantic a week ago yesterday, it was seen that they had discarded the wheels and undergear of their machine. This, it was pointed out at the time, would prove a serious handicap on landing on the other side, and it was thought by some that the intrepid aviators had sacrificed too much for speed.

It is now apparent that Hawker was merely exchanging one precaution for another. Realizing that the odds were heavily against a successful flight, that there was a much greater prospect of dropping to the ocean than there was of descending in Ireland, he appears to have discarded the undergear more to increase the buoyancy of his machine on the water than for any other purpose. The sequel seemingly justified his foresight, for the Sopwith floated an hour and a half in the water before a Danish freighter came alongside and rescued the pilot and his navigator.

The tidings of the rescue of Hawker and Grieve last night reached a world that, for the moment, was incredulous. Very few believed after a week had gone by that a trace of the aviators or their machine ever would be discovered. It was plain that their rescue would have to be effected within thirty or forty hours of the time of their departure or it would not be effected at all and, as no vessel had reported finding them, there was every ground for the belief that they had met with disaster.

For the greater part of the time during which the world believed them dead Hawker and Grieve were comfortably established on the Danish freighter, which had picked them up about 800 miles from the Irish coast, and was leisurely proceeding towards the Hebrides, where it eventually signalled the news of the rescue. The freighter, having no wireless equipment, was unable to reveal its joyful secret in any other way.

Hawker and Grieve had flown 1,100 miles when trouble developing in the mechanism of their machine forced them to descend to the surface of the ocean. Thus they had traversed considerably more than half the distance between the point of departure and their destination. They are doubly fortunate in being able to descend where they did, for weather conditions nearer the Irish coast were exceedingly bad, and they certainly would have been lost if they had succeeded in flying a few hundred miles farther. While they failed in accomplishing their purpose, they, nevertheless, have made history. The first attempt at a continuous flight across the Atlantic and the dramatic rescue of those who made it will constitute a thrilling chapter in the records of human progress.

FAILS TO LEARN LESSON.

Quite recently Sir John and Lady Keane, of County Waterford, Ireland, were visitors to Victoria for the purpose of discussing with officials of the Land Settlement Board the question of purchasing land in the northern central section of the Province. In their tour of British Columbia the travellers called at Kamloops, their visit apparently synchronizing with that of the Leader of the Opposition, who chose the dry belt city as a starting point for his political pilgrimage through the Province.

In its issue of Thursday last The Kamloops Telegram deals with certain observations made by Sir John, in the course of which he expressed astonishment at the class of speech delivered by a former Premier of this great Province. In the editorial referred to Sir John is quoted: "It is apparent that too much money and too little bone and sinew have been put into the Province. There is no royal road to learning; neither is there a cash road to the development of a new country. Men have bought property, then have cast about them to sell their purchases to others. From such practice there can be no progress. Progress can be accomplished only through intelligent work. In the final analysis one gets down to energy and muscle."

The Telegram further discourses: "The visitors attended Mr. Bowser's meeting on Thursday evening and were greatly disappointed. Both were astonished that the former Premier of the Province of British Columbia should employ his time in the treatment of public questions from such a narrow angle. 'British Columbia's development must depend largely upon a broad constructive policy,' said Sir John after the meeting. 'Trivial matters are of little moment, are unworthy the attention of the men in whose hands you would feel safe in placing the moulding of the destiny of your splendid country.'"

Nobody objects to constructive criticism because any Government in office these days needs every ounce of advice so long as it is not tainted with selfish party motive. Mr. Bowser has sat in the cool shades of opposition through three sessions of the Legislature and up to the present he has not only failed as the leader of the party he represents, but he has not succeeded in rising to the full sense of his obligation to the electors of his own constituency.

According to published accounts of the opening speech of his Provincial tour at Kamloops, the

Leader of the Opposition is still harping upon the cost of washing basins and the "profligate waste" of public money in the refurbishing of Ministerial offices at the Parliament Buildings. Even the Premier's salary came in for attention and absorbed no small amount of time. A two-hour speech from an Opposition leader can do a lot of good if the right sort of a text is chosen, but until Mr. Bowser selects a new "piece" and ceases to rely upon his 1918 Legislature address, with topical variations from time to time, the people of this Province will still have cause to remember the defects of the late but unlamented Bowser Government.

OUT WITH THEM.

The Manitoba Free Press of last Friday contained a powerful editorial indictment of what it terms a "combination anarchists and aliens which has tried to take this country by the throat," demanding the exclusion of such people in the future and the deportation of those now here, no matter where they come from. This is what The Free Press said in the article:

"The most obvious thing about the strike headquarters is the way the alien-naturalized and otherwise—abounds. His name is legion, and he is everywhere. The Canadian 'striker' is mostly at home, doing some hard thinking, and wondering what kind of leaders he has got, and what in thunder they are driving at. The situation is not unlike that which prevails in Russia. According to reports from there Lenin and Trotsky and the rest of the soviet junta have special bodyguard battalions of Letts and Chinamen, who, upon occasion intimidate, slug, or, if necessary, murder followers of the dictators when they become lukewarm or questioning in their loyalty. It is through the solid fanatical allegiance of the Germans, Austrians, Hungarians and Russians in the labor unions that the 'Red Five,' Russell, Veitch, Robinson, Ivens and Winning, have climbed to power in the labor organizations. They are numerous enough to control some of the larger unions, and this is the basis upon which the Reds have climbed to power, displacing tried and reliable leaders.

"The idea behind the One Big Union is to employ these masses of rough, uneducated foreigners, who know nothing of our customs and our civilization, to browbeat and override the intelligent and skilled craftsmen of the more technical trades who are numerically weaker. The surest way to break the hold of the anarchist five upon labor is to clean the aliens out of this community. They have got to go, bag and baggage, back to the unhappy homes in Central Europe, which vomited them forth a decade ago, and their places must be taken by clean, decent, honest Canadian workmen, preferably by men who fought for this country while the Red leaders and their kind made war upon them and their cause from the rear.

"Sensible Canadians of all shades of opinion want a square deal all round and industrial peace. That end can only be reached by recognizing that there is a community of interest which binds us all. We must compose our differences by peaceable means and work for our own and the common good.

If the indictment of The Manitoba Free Press is in accord with the facts the duty of the Dominion Government is clear. It should deport the troublemaking aliens involved in their own countries without any formality or hesitation. The British Government is deporting this precious element in large numbers, and if the Canadian Government is possessed of ordinary foresight and firmness it will do the same.

Further, the Government should take measures to prevent the immigration of this class of people no matter what may be the place of their origin. It should see that no anarchists, driven from other countries, whether in this Empire or out of it, are allowed to enter Canada and propagate their damnable doctrine.

The Government should realize that the Canadian people have no intention of permitting any soviet picnic in this Dominion, and that if it does not deal with the apostles of the Lenin and Trotsky cult they will create various organizations that will. And such action would have the support of the overwhelming majority of the trades unionists in the country who soon will realize that the trades union movement, which has done so much to justify itself since its inception, is being devoured by unscrupulous agitators and firebrands who despise it and its principles just as much as Lenin admits he despises democracy.

PURELY PROVINCIAL MATTER.

One could almost afford to smile at the contemplated action of the Dolly Varden Mining Company were it not for certain recent incidents in which Provincial rights have been seriously involved. We learn that the company intends to ask the Federal authorities, to disallow a measure which found complete approval in the Legislature after an exhaustive inquiry into all the circumstances.

It will be recalled that both parties to the dispute—the Dolly Varden Company and the Taylor Engineering Company—were allowed full rein at the many sittings of the Select Committee of the House. A mass of evidence was placed before a body composed of representatives of both political parties, as a result of which a legislative verdict went against the mining company.

The rights of the Province are in no danger in this instance; the matter is one with which the Legislature is fully competent to deal. The reference to Ottawa merely suggests to us that the company has been ill advised. British Columbia still retains its liberty of action in accordance with the Terms of Union, and Ottawa will not interfere.

Verily some things are past finding out. The Titanic, greatest of ships, struck an iceberg and after five hours sank with 1,500 people. Two daring aviators try to fly across the Atlantic on what by comparison was little more than a feather. They and their tiny craft drop to the sea and they are rescued. The Titanic set forth on her first voyage with the chances of mishap almost entirely eliminated in the minds of those on board. The two passengers on the Sopwith tried something that never was tried before and with nine out of ten chances against them. The disaster to the Titanic made the Atlantic look forbiddingly vast. The rescue of Hawker and Grieve makes it seem astonishingly small.

PLANS OF THE ALLIES
FOR SAAR BASIN
MUST STAND

(Continued from page 1.)

On May 16, The reply to both notes was handed to the Germans on Saturday.

The text of the notes shows the suggestions of the Germans for a viva voce discussion of questions concerning the amount of coal to be supplied France and Belgium and the transportation of such supplies; that the concerns damaged in Northern France should purchase "shares" to an extent to be agreed upon in such German coal mines as are charged with the delivery of coal; and that, in lieu of actual control by the Associated Powers, a system of economic guarantees should be instituted. All were rejected summarily.

Doubtful Value

To the proposal that shares in the Saar mines be issued to damaged French concerns, the Allies' reply asserts that such shares and, in addition, German territory and subject to German exploitation, would be of doubtful value to French holders and would create confusion of French and German interests.

The most surprising of the German propositions put forward in regard to the Saar Basin was based on an expressed fear that the surplus of coal over and above the home requirements would not suffice for the quantities which the treaty of peace has fixed, and the suggestion was made that the consumption of coal in Germany, France and Belgium be rationed in due proportion. M. Clemenceau replied that "no arrangement of the kind put forward could give to France the security and certainty which she would receive from the full exploitation and free ownership of the mines of the Saar Basin."

A Concession

The only real concession made to the Germans is to allow the apprehension expressed by Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau as to Germany's ability to effect the payment in gold agreed upon. The concession was made in the reply is for the substitution of the following for the present clause governing such payment in the treaty: "The obligation of Germany to make such payment shall be taken into account by the Reparation Commission, and for the purpose of this payment, Germany may create a prior charge upon her assets or revenues upon such detailed terms as shall be agreed to by the Reparation Commission."

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"If, however, Germany after a period of one year from the date of which the payment becomes due, shall not have effected the said payment, the Reparation Commission shall do so in accordance with such instructions as may be given by the League of Nations, and if necessary, by liquidation of that portion of the mines in question."

Wishes to Be Consulted.

In replying to the German note, M. Clemenceau said:

"I must emphatically deny on behalf of the Allied and Associated Governments the suggestion contained in it (the German note) that German territories are by the treaty of peace made the subject of 'bargains between one sovereignty and another,' as though they were mere chattels and pawns in a game. In fact, the wishes of the populations of all the territories in question will be consulted and the procedure followed, if such consultation has been fairly settled with special regard to local conditions."

Omitting to take up the question of restitution of Alsace-Lorraine and the occupation of Kiel, Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau said he would discuss these provisions in a subsequent note. With respect to some of the territory which Germany is required to cede, including a part of that given to Poland, and also Schleswig, Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau admitted the "principle of national self-determination may indeed be assured."

Political Rights.

M. Clemenceau's reply deals specifically with provisions which have been drawn up for the administration of the Saar Basin under the League of Nations as affecting the political rights of its population. These provisions, he says, secure the rights and welfare of the population, assured the "maintenance of all their present liberties," number of special advantages. "The provision for a plebiscite at the end of fifteen years, he says, will enable this population to determine the final form of government of the territory in which it lives, 'in full freedom and not necessarily to the advantage either of France or Germany.'"

Replying to an objection in the German note against the disposition of Schleswig in the peace treaty because of Denmark's neutrality, M. Clemenceau informs the German delegation that this provision was inserted in the treaty at the request of the Danish Government and the population of Schleswig.

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HAWKER AND HIS COMRADE
WERE PICKED UP IN MID-
OCEAN BY SHIP WHICH
HAD NO WIRELESS OUT-
FIT

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near Surlingham last night, many callers, including Thomas O. M. Sopwith, head of the Sopwith Aviation Company, builders of the machine in which Hawker attempted to cross the Atlantic, going to the house to congratulate Mrs. Hawker on the rescue of her husband and Lieut.-Commander Grieve. Many airmen were among those who called.

Mrs. Hawker never lost confidence that her husband would be rescued. Even on Saturday evening she was still hopeful, declaring that Sunday was her lucky day. "We shall have good news to-morrow," yesterday her home was inundated with telegrams of congratulation and the telephone in the gaily-beflagged dwelling was constantly ringing.

In a message expressing his own and the Queen's sympathy and condolence, King George on Saturday expressed his fear that Hawker had lost his life. He added: "I feel that the nation has lost one of its most able pilots, and that he sacrificed his life for the fame and honor of British flying."

Wig-Wagged.

The first report of the aviators since their famous jump-off at Newfoundland came when the little Danish SS. Mary, which was bound from Norfolk to Aarhus, rounded the Butt of Lewis yesterday and wig-wagged the fact that she had Hawker and Grieve aboard.

"Saved hands off Sopwith aeroplane," was the signal. "Is it Hawker?" was the question asked by the flags from the Butt, which is the most northwesterly point of the Hebrides group off Scotland. "Yes," laconically replied the steamer.

Destroyer Sent.

The Admiralty immediately sent out a fast torpedo boat destroyer in an endeavor to intercept the Mary and

take off the aviators. There was an anxious wait of several hours, when the word was flashed that the destroyer had come across the steamer and transferred Hawker and Grieve and was taking them to Thurso, on the northern coast of Scotland, about 100 miles east of the Butt of Lewis.

The destroyer, the Revenge, reported to the Admiralty last evening that Hawker and Grieve would stop on board for the night. The aviators will reach London at 7 o'clock Tuesday evening.

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Capt. W. C. W. Renny, master of the Western Knight, said that the vessel encountered a severe storm May 15 soon after passing out at Cape Flattery. The storm lasted two days and during the first night of the gale the ship was found to be taking water at an alarming rate.

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A BEDTIME STORY

Uncle Wiggly and the Barefoot Boy
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(By Howard R. Garis.)

"Are you in a hurry to-day, Uncle Wiggly?" asked Nurse Jane Puzzy Wuzzy, the muskrat lady housekeeper for the bunny rabbit gentleman one morning, as he started out from his hollow stump bungalow.

"Not so very much of a hurry," answered Mr. Longears. "But I haven't time to play tag with Baby Bunty!" he quickly said, as he saw the fluffy little rabbit girl peeping around the corner of the woodshed.

Baby Bunty was nearly always wanting Uncle Wiggly to chase her or play with her. She said it kept him lively, so he wouldn't get old and stiff. But Uncle Wiggly didn't always like to chase Baby Bunty.

"Oh, you don't need to play tag with her," said Nurse Jane, with a laugh. "I made her promise not to tease you, though I'm going to ask you to go to the five and ten cent store with her and help carry it home."

"What! Carry home the five and ten cent store?" cried Uncle Wiggly, twirling his pink nose twice as fast as a dill pickle.

"No, carry home some dried curled grass to make a new feather bed for the spare room," spoke the muskrat lady. "They have some nice, new, fresh, curled, dried grass at the five and ten cent store, now, and I want Baby Bunty to bring some home. But perhaps the bundle will be too large for her. If you'd help her carry it—"

"Oh, of course, I will!" said Uncle Wiggly most kindly. "Come along, Baby Bunty. I like to go with you if I don't have to hop and skip too much, or chase you."

"Well, I like to be lively," laughed the little rabbit girl, and to tell the truth she did.

Uncle Wiggly, with his red, white and blue striped rheumatism crutch, and Baby Bunty, wearing her new hat with purple velvet and through the woods over the fields and through the woods until they reached the five and ten cent store. There Mr. Longears bought a big bundle of sweet, dried, curly grass for Nurse Jane to stuff into the new feather bed to make a soft mattress.

"It's a good thing you came with me, Uncle Wiggly," said Baby Bunty, when she saw what a large bundle the

dried grass made. "I never could have carried it all by myself."

"We'll have the little mouse girl clerk make two bundles of it—a large one and a small one," said Uncle Wiggly. "I'll carry the large one and you can carry the little one."

"That will be nice!" said Baby Bunty. "Then I can skip a little on the way home."

Uncle Wiggly's bundle of soft, curly, dried grass was much larger than Baby Bunty's, for he wanted the little rabbit girl to have fun on the way home. And Bunty did. She hopped and skipped and she wanted very much to play with her. But she had promised Nurse Jane not to, and she didn't.

All of a sudden, as the old rabbit gentleman and the little rabbit girl were crossing a field where there were many sharp stones, Baby Bunty called: "Oh, look! Here comes the barefoot boy!"

"Surely enough! So he does!" said Uncle Wiggly looking down alongside of his pink, twinkling nose and through his glasses. "He's the same barefoot boy who once chased me. He ran very fast with his shoes off—almost as fast as I could when I was a young rabbit. Come on, Bunty! We'll have to hop now!"

And just as Uncle Wiggly and Bunty started across the field of sharp stones, the barefooted boy saw them and he cried:

"Oh, look! A rabbit! Two rabbits! A big one and a little one! I'll catch 'em for next Easter, and away he started, after Baby Bunty and Uncle Wiggly."

Now Mr. Longears and the little baby rabbit, who was found in a hollow stump, did not mind running over sharp, pebbly stones. Their feet were made for that. But no sooner had the barefooted boy started across the rough, sharp, stony meadow than he cried:

"Oh, ouch! Oh, my feet! My barefoot feet! Oh, I'm all stuck full of sharp thorns!" and he sat down and began to sob big, wet, salty tears. "Oh, dear!" said the boy. "I can't walk home because my feet hurt so from the sharp stones, and no one will get me any shoes! Oh, dear!"

Uncle Wiggly and Baby Bunty heard the barefoot boy crying, and though

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Mrs. W. de la Per Beresford is registered at the Empress Hotel.

J. G. C. Kerry, the prominent Toronto consulting engineer, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Flaherty, of Bainbridge, B. C., were in the city on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Newton Burdick, of Vancouver, have been spending the holiday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Biggar, of Ottawa, were registered at the Empress Hotel yesterday.

Mrs. Rutledge, of New Westminster, and Mrs. Martin, of North Vancouver, are guests at "Baldwinfield," the residence of Mrs. J. S. McAdam.

Capt. and Mrs. W. L. Mayhew returned home yesterday from Seattle where they have been guests at the Hotel Washington for some days.

W. A. McAdam, Publicity Commissioner, accompanied by Mrs. McAdam and their little daughter, returned yesterday from Portland where Mr. McAdam attended the annual meeting of the Evergreen Highway Association.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward A. Taylor, 1746 St. Louis Street, Oak Bay, announce the engagement of their daughter, Doris Isabelle, to Captain Geoffrey N. Douglas, M. C., Canadian Machine Gun Corps, second son of Mr. and Mrs. James H. Douglas, "Dalry," Cossington Road, Westcliff, England. The marriage will take place at Christ Church Cathedral on June 4, at 2 o'clock.

Sir George Bury, former vice-president of the Canadian Pacific Railway and newly-elected President of the Whalen Pulp and Paper Company, will take up his residence in Vancouver and occupy an office in the quarters of the company in the Merchants Bank Building. The officials of the Whalen Company here expect Sir George to arrive in Vancouver by the end of this week.

Rev. H. N. Maclean, Ph.D., pastor of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, is a commissioner to the General Assembly which meets in Hamilton, Ont., June 4. He will leave Victoria on May 28, sailing from Montreal, Thursday, June 12, to spend the summer months in the British Isles. His congregation will bid him farewell at a social gathering to be held in the lecture room of the church on Tuesday evening.

Nursing Sister D. H. Hornby, a former matron of the Jubilee Hospital, returned to Vancouver on Friday on hospital train conveying a party of returned soldiers from the Essequibo. Sister Hornby went overseas in 1914 and until December last was attached to No. 2 Canadian General Hospital in France. She has had previous experience as a naval nurse at the Devonport Hospital.

Rev. Robert Hughes returned from the New Westminster Conference on Thursday, and will leave for Kaslo in the Kootenay next week, to take charge of the Methodist Church in that place. The Rev. H. Hobbins, who has recently returned from the front will have charge of the Naval and Military Church at Esquimalt. This appointment will be a popular one with ex-service men, as Mr. Hobbins has had considerable experience with them overseas. Mr. Hughes' ministry at Esquimalt will close next Sunday evening.

Miss Francis Nickawa, of Vancouver, delighted a Penikese Island audience with many charming readings. In the first part of her programme, "The Fool" was enthusiastically received and "Red Riding Hood" and "The Legend of Q'ueen Valley" were vivid and forceful. Without doubt, when Miss Nickawa makes her tour of the interior she will charm many audiences.

Miss Reucassell, who has been for some time employed at Gordon's, Ltd., Yates Street, left on yesterday's boat for Vancouver to visit friends for the next two weeks before proceeding to Scotland, where her marriage will take place. Prior to leaving Victoria she was presented with a handsome silver casserole, the gift of her fellow-employees at Gordon's. She was accompanied by their united good wishes for her happiness. On Wednesday last she was the guest of a number of her girl friends at a delightful little picnic arranged in her honor at the Gorge.

At the home of the regent, Mrs. Andrew Wright, Uplands, on Wednesday afternoon the members of the "Camosun Chapter, L.O.D.E." held a bridge-ten in the parlors of the Widows and Orphans' Fund. Mrs. Love is in charge of the tables, and refreshments may be made by communicating with her telephone number 4281. The beautiful gardens are just now at their best and will repay a visit, while the view across the water to the mountains is particularly fine—from the vantage point and adds much to the charm of the gardens. The card tournament will commence at 2.30 and tea will be served during the afternoon.

The Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Barnard, with Col. A. W. and Mrs. Jones, returned to the city yesterday afternoon from Seattle where they have been spending the past week at the Seattle Golf and Country Club. While in the Sound city Sir Frank and Lady Barnard were the guests of

they did not know what he said, they knew his feet hurt by the way he acted.

"To bad!" said Baby Bunty. "Toss him some of the soft, curly dried grass, Uncle Wiggly. He can wrap that around his feet and tie it on, and then the sharp stones won't hurt him."

"You are a good little girl to think of that," said Mr. Longears. Then, when the barefoot boy had cried, and many tears that his eyes were full and he could not see Uncle Wiggly, the old gentleman rabbit came up close to the boy and left a big bunch of dried grass for him. Then Uncle Wiggly and Baby Bunty hopped on to the hollow stump bungalow.

A little later the boy opened his eyes, saw the dried grass, and said:

"Oh, I'll make myself a soft pair of slippers from this! Then I can safely walk across the sharp stones. And I won't chase rabbits any more. Wonder how this nice grass got here?" But I'll never tell him; will you?

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Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Brandon went over to Seattle on Friday to spend the holidays, returning to the city yesterday.

The Misses Nan Budman and Eva Green have arrived in Victoria from Kamloops to take up a special course to fit them for occupational instruction of invalided soldiers.

Mrs. (Dr.) L. T. Davis, formerly of Oak Bay, arrived in the city from Parkville on Friday and will spend the next week visiting friends in Victoria.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Taylor announce the engagement of their youngest daughter, Jean, to Harry, only son of Mr. and Mrs. H. King, Shelpourne Street. The marriage will take place on June 6, at the bride's home, 1346 Carnesew Street.

Mrs. T. J. Goodlake, accompanied by her children, has left Victoria on a visit to her parents in Ireland. Carl Goodlake, accompanied them on the first stage of their journey to Seattle, returning to the city yesterday afternoon.

On Wednesday evening the Daughters of Pity are meeting at Miss Lovell's, 1108 View Street, to continue their work in connection with the garden fete to be held in June at the residence of Mrs. W. J. Bowser, Terrace Avenue.

The congregations of St. Columba Presbyterian Church, St. Mary's Anglican and the Methodist Church, Hampshire Road, will unite in a community welcome to returned soldiers and their friends to-morrow evening. The affair will be held in the hall at St. Columba Church, corner of Mitchell and Granville Streets, Oak Bay. An excellent programme has been arranged and refreshments will be served.

Members of the Y.A.S.C. and their friends to the number of about 100, undaunted by the unfavorable weather, motored out to Cadboro Bay on Saturday at one p.m. and held an enjoyable picnic at the Cadboro Bay Hotel. A delicious luncheon was served in proper picnic fashion, after which the party indulged in games and races, while a few of the more enthusiastic swimmers braved the chilly waters. At seven o'clock adjournment was made to the main lounge where dancing was indulged in.

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The Association intends to take this matter up vigorously to see if something cannot be done to remedy the difficulties encountered by motorists who find trouble in getting their motors promptly shipped back and forth between Victoria and Port Angeles.

The Evergreen Highway Association was asked by Mr. McAdam for active co-operation in inducing real estate men in Washington, Oregon and Idaho to come to Victoria in their motor cars for the Realty Convention on July 17, 18 and 19. He urged this course as a sure means of permanently establishing in the minds of the visitors a proper appreciation of the beauties of the scenic drives to be encountered on the highway routes.

While Mr. McAdam was in Tacoma he seized the opportunity of spreading literature relative to Victoria and Vancouver Island, particularly the pamphlet showing the Georgian Circuit as well as the Evergreen Highway which extends all the way from Victoria to El Paso, Texas, and is negotiable all the year around. Field Secretary Collins and President Sweetland of the Evergreen Highway Association are going to make a tour of the road with the idea of sign-writing it. Main roads leading to California and other southern points branch off from the Evergreen route, and signs will be posted at the cross-roads.

While in Seattle Mr. McAdam met Mr. Brimmer, of the Peck-Judah Sight-Seeing Company, and was taken over the city. The latter's advertising literature devotes one full page to Victoria, another to Vancouver and one to Seattle and features in a forceful manner the attractions of the triangle trip. Mr. McAdam says that he sat next to eight people in the sight-seeing car in Seattle who decided to come to Victoria as a result of this advertising which Victoria is getting from the Seattle concern gratis.

Referring again to the business done by the Evergreen Highway Association Mr. McAdam says that the Association will endeavor to have certain improvements made in the highways and will promote the maintenance of first-class touring bureaus where all necessary information may be obtained.

Publicity will be carried on extensively and every effort made to promote increased travel over the highways. It was estimated that if 7,500 cars carrying an average of four people to the car were to travel the highway in a season it would mean, at an estimated expenditure of \$4 per day, that three millions of dollars would be spent by tourists annually who travel this route alone.

PRETTY WEDDING

Miss Edna Lacoursiere Married to
Archie Broadfoot on Friday
Evening.

The Bishop's Palace, View Street, was the scene of a pretty but quiet wedding on Friday evening at 8 o'clock, when Miss Edna Lacoursiere, united in marriage Edna, eldest daughter of Sergt. A. and the late Anna Lacoursiere of Saanichton, and Archie, son of J. M. Broadfoot, of Antigonish, Halifax, N. S., who recently returned after three years' service overseas.

The bride, who was attired in a travelling suit of magenta cloth and white fox fur, with a dainty French crepe-de-chene picture hat to match, was attended by Miss Mildred Hodges.

After the ceremony the bride and groom returned to the home of Mrs. Fred Hodges, 955 Heywood, where with the assistance of Mrs. Thos. Hodges a light repast was served, the table being decorated with sprays of white hawthorne and pink roses.

A few of the most intimate friends of the bride, assembled to extend felicitations to the young couple. Mr. and Mrs. Broadfoot left amid showers of rice on the midnight boat for the Sound cities, via Vancouver, where where they will spend their honeymoon before returning to Victoria to take up their residence.

Assaulted a Chinaman—For assaulting a Chinaman, Constable Albert of Vancouver, appeared in the Police Court this morning. The case is proceeding this afternoon.

MISS STEVENSON WON THE CONTEST

Popular Girl Competition Drew
Out Large Voting
Strength

To Miss Grace Stevenson of the Foundation Company, falls the honor of being acclaimed Victoria's Most Popular Girl, she having been announced the winner of the contest conducted in conjunction with the Victoria Day celebrations. The other candidates in the order of their success are: Miss E. Carlow (2); Miss Jessie Chapman (3); Miss Jean Nasmith (4); Miss Trissie Hunt (5); Miss Ethel Cook (6); Miss Nora Morey (7); Miss S. Watson (8);



MISS GRACE STEVENSON

Miss L. Dooley (9); and Miss Irene Cook (10).

Owing to delay in handing in of ballot boxes it was found impossible to announce the prize-winners as intended at the Foundation Company's ball on Friday evening, or to include the most popular girl, in Saturday's parade. However, the scores made by the candidates were so excellent that the committee in charge of the contest have now decided to extend their prize list,



MISS MYRA E. CARLOW

so that the first five candidates will receive handsome prizes. To Miss Stevenson, Miss Carlow and Miss Chapman will be awarded a gold wrist-watch, while Miss Nasmith will receive a gold locket and Miss Trissie Hunt a silver vanity case.

The prize-winners have been re-



MISS JESSIE CHAPMAN

quested to attend at the committee rooms, 222 Pemberton Building, on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock, when they will receive their prizes at the hands of D. J. Clark, chairman of the Contest Committee.

Thanks to the splendid work of the ten candidates the proceeds of the contest amounted to \$2,457.99, which means that after the payment of the expenses



MISS JEAN NASMITH



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of printing, etc. a sum considerably over \$2,000 will be available for the beneficiary fund—for the dependents of fallen or disabled ex-service men. It is of interest to note that the total raised by the contest is nearly \$1,900 more than was raised by a similar method last year, thus showing the keen interest taken in the event.

The committee in charge have paid a splendid tribute to the candidates and their friends who worked so zealously,



MISS ETHEL COOK

with a special reference to Mr. Campbell, of Gordon Graydale's, who acted as campaign manager for Miss Carlow. To his efforts was due much of the success attending her candidacy, every vote being obtained in the store—a remarkable record for one firm. Miss Trissie Hunt who came fifth on the list, also deserves a special mention, as she



MISS NORAH MOREY

conducted her own campaign and secured every vote by her own efforts.

The work in connection with the contest has been exceptionally heavy and trying and much praise is due to Mr. Clark, the chairman of the committee, and R. P. McLernan, his right-hand man during the contest, for the business-like way in which the contest was conducted.



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SUNDAY CONCERTS PROVE AN ATTRACTION

Well-known Artists Give Pleas-
ing Programme at Brent-
wood Hotel Yesterday

Ever on the alert to initiate features to conduce to the enjoyment of the many visitors to this delightful resort, the management of the Brentwood Hotel yesterday afternoon inaugurated a series of Sunday afternoon and evening concerts. Miss Maude Scruby was in charge of the programme, which consisted of instrumental numbers by a trio including Miss Scruby, cellist; Miss Irene Long, pianist, and Mrs. Thornborrow, violin, while Miss Mona Miesner contributed a number of delightful vocal numbers.

A pleasing informality marked the concert, which was given throughout the afternoon and evening, and that the innovation found favor with the hotel patrons was proved by the enthusiastic and appreciative applause which greeted the various numbers. The programme was as follows: Afternoon—Three dances from Edward German's "Nell Gwynn"; waltz, "Snowflakes," by Strauss; cello solo, "Old English air," Miss Scruby; vocal solo, "Waters of Minnetonka," Mrs. Thornborrow, with cello obligato; trio, "Bolero," Moskowski. Evening—Trio, "Zardas" (Michiels); "Tulips," vocal solo; Serenade (Pierne); trio, "Winds in the Trees" (Goring Thomas).

JOE DAKERS RETURNS

Won Commission and M. C. on Field;
Saw Three Years' Service in
France.

Lieut. Joe Dakers, M. C., a well-known athlete, returned with the 25th Battalion on Saturday afternoon after being overseas for three years.

Lieut. Dakers went overseas with the 67th Battalion and went to France in time for the Somme fighting in 1916. After many months of hard fighting Joe was recommended for a commission, and proceeded to England to train.

Before going overseas Joe was awarded the Military Cross for conspicuous gallantry on the field. He finished up the war with the 25th Battalion, and was on the outskirts of Mons on Armistice Day, and went through to Germany.

Before going overseas Joe was prominent in athletic circles. He played lacrosse for the Victoria amateurs for a number of years, played full-back for different soccer teams and enjoyed a game of ball. Joe does not know whether or not he will be able to reduce sufficiently to get back to his old pastimes.

MINES CLOSE DOWN

Premier Hears of One Hundred Miners
Out of Work at Rossland.

In a telegram which reached the Parliament Buildings from Rossland this morning the Premier is advised that the mines operating in the vicinity have laid off about one hundred men and that at least fifty families will require other means of earning a livelihood at the earliest possible moment.

The wire suggests that the Government undertake certain road work in the locality as a temporary expedient. In the absence of the Hon. J. H. King, Minister of Public Works, Mr. Oliver is looking into the question to the end that some assistance may be rendered quickly.

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Left for Okanagan—Hon. T. D. Pattullo, Minister of Lands, accompanied by E. A. Cleveland, Controller of Water Rights, left the city last night for the Okanagan Valley in connection with the Government's irrigation programme. The Minister expects to be away for a couple of weeks.

Had Liquor in His Possession—On charge of having liquor in his possession Robert Russell appeared in Police Court this morning and was fined \$50.

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The British Columbia Returned Soldier Commission, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, has been advised by telegram from the O. C. Clearing Service Command, Halifax, N.S., that the following officers, nursing sisters and other ranks from the B.C. Northland left there on May 22 for their respective dispersal areas:

For Victoria:
Capt. W. J. Fox, 529 Wollaston Street, Esquimalt.
Lieut. W. F. Loveland, 1311 Point Street.
Nursing Sister E. Murray, 941 Island Road, Oak Bay.
Nursing Sister M. Mullen, G. P. O.
Pte. H. W. Alexander, 1159 Yates Street.
Pte. W. A. Armstrong, 12 Lewis Street.
Sergeant W. J. Carter, 727 Herald Street.
Pte. F. Cracknell, 983 Heywood Avenue.
Pte. A. N. Clark, 1437 Pembroke Street.
Sgt. P. C. Easy, G. P. O.
Sgt. B. C. Field, 1849 Oscar Street.
Dvr. W. G. Fido, 1161 St. Patrick Street.
Sergeant J. W. Harvey, 1028 Redfern Street.
Lieut.-Col. D. T. Hill, 1214 Rockland Avenue.
Pte. F. H. Holland, 2039 Bouchier Street, Oak Bay.
Pte. H. O. Hanson, 1216 Quadra Street.
Pte. G. Leeming, 717 Suffolk Street.
Pte. G. Malloy, G. P. O.
Pte. A. McIlhee, 2708 Graham Street.
Pte. R. Stultie, 1231 Walcott Street.
Pte. S. B. Service, Britz Avenue, Swan Lake.
Pte. M. Sawers, G. P. O.
Pte. E. H. Street, G. P. O.
Pte. N. Taylor, 2018 Chambers Street.
Sergeant Thompson, 961 Pembroke Street.
Sergeant E. Thorne, 151 Government Street.
Pte. J. E. Weeks, G. P. O.

From Minnekahda:
The following party from the Minnekahda arrived on May 22 and left on the same date for their respective dispersal areas for demobilization:

For Victoria:
Cpl. P. Matthew, Mrs. Matthew, 2531 Empire Street.
Cpl. P. E. Barracough, Miss S. Offerhaus, Mount Toimie P. O.
Dvr. R. M. Carlow, Fairfield Hotel.
Dvr. J. W. C. Gow, care Mrs. Howden, 460 George Road.
Pte. H. P. Pike, Langford Station P. O.

For other places in the Province:
Pte. C. A. Jolly, Nanaimo P. O.

From Caronia:
The following party from the Caronia left on May 22 for their respective dispersal areas:

For Victoria:
Capt. J. D. McMurray, 464 Stannard Avenue.
Pte. R. Ringrose, care Mrs. Medland, 1318 George Street.
Pte. A. Lovick, 1782 Lee Avenue.
Pte. K. C. Kirby, care Mr. Kirby, Merchants Bank.
Pte. T. J. Cartwright, 3337 Burns Avenue.
Pte. A. Exton, 1743 Sixth Street.
Pte. T. Bayley, 897 Old Esquimalt Road.
Pte. R. Bartlett, 2748 Prior Street.
Pte. P. S. Langton, 1004 St. Charles Street.
Pte. A. Gibbons, 736 Princess Avenue.
Acting-Cpl. J. Chambers, Marigold Four Others.

The following left Halifax for Victoria on May 22:

Lieut. R. E. Hamilton, Mrs. R. Hamilton, 1429 Fort Street.
S. D. Wales, Mrs. S. Wales, 1051 Southgate Street.
M. L. Ball, 256 White Avenue.
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vide a fitting welcome for the remnants of one of the finest battalions that ever jumped over the bags. One hundred men in charge of Lieut. Stevens, arrived, being the vanguard of the Second Division, which, however, has very few British Columbia men in it.

The party was officially welcomed by Major-General Leckie, G.O.C., who thanked them for their splendid services, which had been second to none, and wished them every success in their return to civilian life. The ladies' reception committee

knew the falling of soldiers and provided a sumptuous array of "grab" at the dock. The boys were taken to the lower dock, which was beautifully decorated, and invited to help themselves.

Headed by the Foundation band, the warriors marched along Government Street and Yates Street to the Library, where the official welcome took place.

A big re-union dance will be held one evening this week. Details will be given later.

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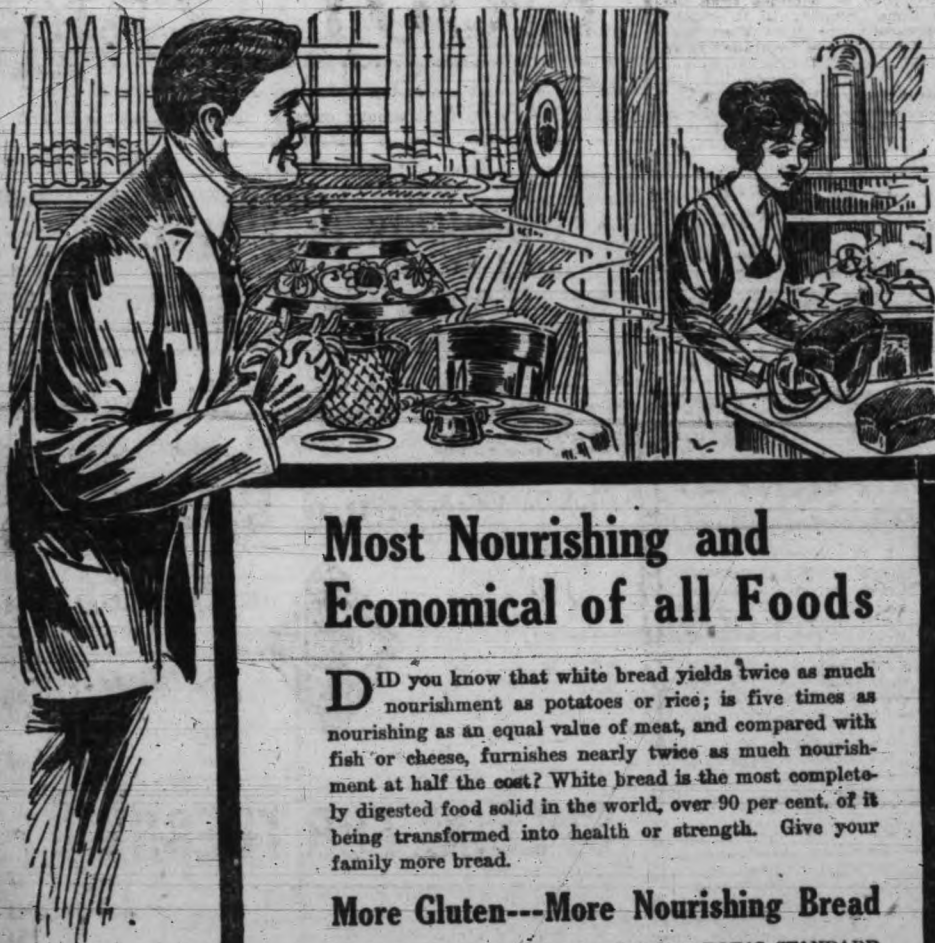
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Seattle Post-Intelligencer Ad-
vocates Tour of Vancouver
Island; Praises Route

"Highway from 'Canadian' Capital most wonderful in world," is the way A. J. Kennedy, automobile editor of The Seattle Post-Intelligencer describes the Island Highway out of Victoria in the heading of a full-page illustrated story appearing in the issue of yesterday.

The front page of the automobile section of The Post-Intelligencer is devoted almost entirely to illustrations of views taken by Mr. Kennedy and his party when they toured Vancouver Island last week in a Willys-Knight car. "No one could put into cold type the scenic grandeur of this island trip. We now realize just what the slogan means when it says, 'The Tour That Bankrupts the English Language.' The following paragraphs sound flowery, but they do not one-half express the feelings of the Willys-Knight party," the paper says. Then follows a glowing description of the wonderful scenery encountered on Vancouver Island. Mr. Kennedy's tour included the greater part of the Georgian Circuit, and he describes it as one grand sweep embracing all the scenic charm and grandeur of the highways connecting the following cities: Victoria, Nanaimo, Vancouver, Bellingham, Olympia, Tacoma, Seattle and Port Angeles, the distance around the circuit by way of these cities, apart from the side routes, being approximately 500 miles.

The article says: The idea of the Georgian circuit was originated by A. E. Todd, of Victoria, and was first presented to the public by means of a descriptive article and map, written and drawn by Mr. Todd, in the Seattle Western Motor Car Magazine of February, 1915, and has been persistently kept before the public since that date by the Island Motorist until to-day, when all the papers and magazines of the Northwest are awakening to its importance as an economic factor of the greatest importance for this most favored district.

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Dance in the Agricultural Hall, Saanichton, on Thursday, May 29, under the auspices of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society. Dancing 8.30 to 12. Heston's orchestra. B. C. E. Ry. car leaves Saanichton for Victoria at midnight.

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Flannel Dance, "J" Unit Chapter, Alexandra ballroom, Wednesday evening, 9 till 1.

To Start New Laundry.—Permission to open a laundry in the building formerly occupied by the Western Pickling Works on Fisgard Street, was asked of the Streets Committee of the City Council on Friday afternoon by L. E. McLean, manager and lessee of the New Method Laundry. An immediate report on the matter will be handed to the Committee.

Increased Activities.—Increased activities in the B. C. House, London, England, are noted in a report received by Premier Oliver. In September of last year 123 interviews took place between the Agent-General and his assistants with people who contemplated coming to Canada; in October 136, in November 240, in December 412, in January 520, in February 617 and in March 657. In September of last year 356 letters were written. This number steadily increased to a total of 1,366 in March of this year. The reading room was used by 495 people last September, and by 1,310 people in March. The soldiers' dormitory accommodated 496 people in March.

Strayed from 2829 Prior Street a Red Chow dog. If seen kindly phone 5022R. Reward offered for recovery.

Change in Management.—E. A. Morris, Ltd., Tobacconists, Government Street, have received a very kind petition from their numerous customers wishing the management of the store to remain in the hands of J. M. Mellis. As much as the firm would like to fall in with the wishes of the nearly nine hundred valued customers who signed the petition, they regret it is impossible at this moment to do so. Arrangements have been made with E. A. Morris, who has lately returned from overseas, to assume the management, and who they are assured will give every attention, and do all in his power to please. Thanking the petitioners for their kind references to the late G. L. Dunn, and also to J. M. Mellis, who filled the position temporarily during the late Mr. Dunn's illness.

Explains Swimming Bath Plan.—Appearing before the Streets Committee of the City Council on Friday afternoon, W. F. Best described the plan to establish salt water swimming baths on the Dallas Road. It was pointed out to Mr. Best that, according to the City Solicitor's report the Council has no power to lease the land in question as desired, nor had it the right to give the swimming bath company free water for shower baths. Full consideration of the scheme, however, was promised.

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Mrs. Macdonald Fahey to Assist at Women's Council Concert To-morrow

Mr. Beatty Will Motor Here; Arrangements For Luncheon

By special request Mrs. Macdonald Fahey will assist in the programme to be given at the Empress Hotel to-morrow evening under the auspices of the Local Council of Women. An especially attractive programme has been prepared and the event promises to be one of the most enjoyable of the winter musical season.

The programme follows:

Duet—"Awake"—Miss Mona Misener and Miss Lotus Griffith.

Aria from "Samson and Delilah"—"Oh! Love Thy Help"—Saint Saens

Miss Dorothy Dorrell.

Violoncello—(a) Aria—Tenaglia (1899)

(b) Rondo—Bocherine (1743-1895)

Miss Maude Scruby.

Vocal solo—(a) Oh Lovely Night—London Ronald

(b) Berceuse from Jocelyn—Godard

(With "cello obligato—Miss Scruby.)

Miss Lotus Griffith.

Vocal solos—(a) Gypsy Love Song—Victor Herbert

(b) All Joy Be Thine—Sanderson

Miss Nora Southwell.

Vocal solo—Selected—Mrs. Macdonald Fahey.

Violoncello—Serenade—Frank Bridge

(a) La Hongroise—Fischer

(c) Harlequin—David Popper

Miss Scruby.

Aria—"Un bel di Vedremo"—(from Madame Butterfly)—Puccini

Miss Misener.

Vocal solos—(a) Slumber Song—A. Gretchenhof

(b) Starlight—Hermann Lohr

(c) Butterflies—Linn Sailer

Miss Dorrell.

Vocal solos—(a) Break O'Day—Sanderson

(b) My Tact—Shford

Miss Southwell.

Vocal solos—(a) Tes Yeux—Rabey

(b) By the Way of Minnesota—Léonora

(With "cello obligato—Miss Scruby.)

Miss Misener.

Dr. M. W. Thomas has resumed practice at his former office, cor. Fort and Quadra Sts.

Island Motorist Out.—What C. L. Harris terms his "birthday" issue of The Island Motorist, the official organ of the Island Automobile Association, is just off the press. Mr. Harris explains that it is just six years ago since the magazine was first published. The May, 1919, issue of The Motorist has sixty-eight pages, with a large percentage of advertising. An interesting article by J. P. McConnell deals with road-building across the Province, a question that is at present arousing a very keen interest among motorists and others. A feature of the magazine is the growing interest taken in it by outside parties.

Barbers Argue About By-law.—To present both sides of the early closing problem as it concerns barber shops, two deputations of barbers met the Streets Committee of the City Council on Friday afternoon. Stephen Jones, of the Dominion Hotel, claimed that the hotel barber shops should not be obliged to close at six o'clock in the evening, but should be allowed to enter to the demands of the travelling public, which would judge the city largely by its hotel accommodation. H. Ball and other barber shop operators stated on the other hand that the barber shops would not work after six o'clock and that the only way to secure uniformity was to make all shops close at the same time. Alderman George Sangster, chairman of the committee, promised consideration of these arguments.

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TO-DAY'S AMUSEMENTS

Pantages—Vaudeville.
 Princess—R. N. Hincks's production, "The American Citizen."
 Royal Victoria—Photodramatic spectacle, "The Unpardonable Sin."
 Dominion—Marguerite Clark in "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch."
 Variety—"The Brand," featuring Kay Laurell and Russell Simpson.
 Columbia—June Elvidge in "The Woman of Redemption."
 Romano—William S. Hart in "The Disciple."

POSED WITH SCAR TO GIVE REALISTIC TOUCH

Wallace Beary, Who Will Be at Royal This Week, Had Unpleasant Experience

Wallace Beary, the well-known motion picture actor who appears in "The Unpardonable Sin," which is the attraction at the Royal Victoria all this week, beginning to-night, prominent in the support of Blanche Sweet, will remember his engagement in the big Harry Garson picture for a long time—and for very practical reasons.

In order that he might "look the part" he was called upon to play, Mr. Beary found it advisable to manufacture a scar about six inches long on his left cheek. The "manufacturing" was

done with the aid of the homely first aid preparation known as Nu-Skin, the check being pulled into a "pucker" to represent the scar and held in that position by the sticky collodion substance, which dries tightly enough to resemble liquid glue.

The scar was a wonderful success from the standpoint of the director, and Beary, screened perfectly for the part. It so happened, however, that the filming of the Beary scenes required such a long time that when the actor tried to get back his cast of countenance he found it—and is still finding it—extremely difficult. For days at a time Mr. Beary slept with the Nu-Skin on his face, finding it easier to keep the make-up on than to put it on afresh each morning, and when the time came that he wanted to be without the scar to secure another engagement where a comely face would fit better than a disfigured one, the "scar" had been so well wrinkled in that it refused to come out. As recently as a week ago Mr. Beary was making daily trips to a beauty specialist, a Mr. Lillian Russell, to "have his beauty ironed."

The performance given by Mr. Beary—entirely aside from the scar—is one of the big artistic touches of the play. Given a thankless role and one which inspires anything but sympathy, he is conceded to have handled it in a masterful fashion. It is a step onward in the career of a splendid screen actor.

The encouragement which Marshall Neilan, director of the picture, has given to all of the principals in his cast has had much to do with the superior merit of the picture throughout. While Blanche Sweet is the star and remains the centre of attention throughout, not only because of the prominence of her part but also because of the splendid manner in which she interprets it, there has been none of the customary "playing down" of other characters in order that the star might profit by comparison. There are half-a-dozen "bits" in the screen play that will be remembered fully as long as will be the performance given by the principals.

WESTERN DRAMA AT ROMANO THEATRE

William S. Hart Returns in "The Disciple" This Week

William S. Hart, whose methods have been a large factor in reviving the popularity of "Westerns," has achieved a pronounced success by his work in "The Disciple," which will be seen at the Romano today, Tuesday and Wednesday.

The renewed popularity of "Western" film plays due to Triangle enterprise and energies has curiously enough brought about the return of the "drama of the plains" and of the heroes and bad men of a decade ago. Old playgoers will remember Mr. Hart as the Messala of "Ben Hur" when it was produced. He was also

the originator of the role of Cash Hawkins in "The Squaw Man." In "The Disciple" he creates the part of Jim Houston, the "shootin'-iron" Parson, who comes to Barren Gulch to establish a church.

The play promises a greater sensation than the rainstorm produced in "The Iron Strain," in the realistic thunder and lightning storm in "The Disciple." A symphonic storm to accompany these scenes has been composed by Wedgwood Nowell, and it is declared by those who have enjoyed a private view of the picture to lend great force to the effect.

Pearl White in another thrilling episode of the Pathe serial, "The Lightning Raider," will be another attraction on the new programme at the Romano.

MARGUERITE CLARK AT DOMINION AGAIN

Ever Popular Star in Favorite Photoplay Here This Week

Two extra strong attractions are presented on this week's programme. The ever-popular Marguerite Clark will be seen in "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," her latest picture.

Marguerite Clark, widely known as "the sweetest girl in motion pictures," long was recognized before she entered the silent drama, as one of the most charming comedienne of the legitimate stage. Since she entered the film world her progress has been phenomenally successful and her record is one of unbroken successes.

Miss Clark will be seen in her latest Paramount photoplay, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," at the Dominion Theatre all week, and it seems certain that as Lovey Mary in Alice Hegan Rice's remarkable story she will score another triumph. The character of the girl of Bradford Orphanage who is ever ready to battle for justice and humanity even though she suffer therefor, is one that will be warmly appreciated by her army of admirers.

Miss Clark is finely supported in this admirable picture, her leading man being Gareth Hughes. The part of Mrs. Wiggs is in the capable hands of Mary Carr. Hugh Ford directed the production.

On the same bill will be presented Fatty Arbuckle in his new comedy, "Love." This picture on the subject of Love, with Fatty, is certain to be a riot of fun. Into it he introduces a lot of new surprises and complications that are the funniest ever evolved by Fatty. In fact, it has been upon the stage since Fatty produced a comedy with the punch and pep to be found in Love, and that is saying a lot.

PRINCESS PRODUCTION DRAWS FULL HOUSES

Reg. N. Hincks and Clever Company Produce "The American Citizen"

In "An American Citizen," the delightful comedy now running at the Princess Theatre, Reginald N. Hincks, the producer, has again demonstrated his ability to find a vehicle which tickles the popular palate and at the same time is eminently suited to production by local talent.

Briefly the plot centres around the doings of one Beresford Cruger, an American member of a firm of solicitors, who, to save the firm from ruin following the defalcations of one of his partners, accepts a legacy necessitating his reversion to British citizenship and a marriage of convenience with his cousin. The unfolding of the plot is accompanied by a series of mirth-provoking situations, while throughout runs the thread of a charming love interest.

As Cruger, the American who changes into a "blooming Britisher," Mr. Hincks played with all the art of which he has so large an endowment, his breeziness and refreshing style provoking much of the laughter and enthusiasm with which the comedy was received. In Miss Hickman, an actress new to Victoria audiences, he had excellent support; her clever performance giving rising to the hope that she will be frequently seen in future productions. Another newcomer, Miss Heinekey, made a charming ingenua full of youthful verve, while the only other member of the company making his debut was Master D. Campbell, who gave a delightfully impish interpretation of the part of Mercury, office boy and general factotum to Beresford Cruger.

Excellent support was given by the other members of the cast including T. Edward Clark as Peter Barbary; Stuart G. Clarke as Egerton Browning the defaulter; W. Tayler and Mrs. Tayler, as Sir Humphrey and Lady Bunn; J. Petch, as Isaac Isaacs; Lieut. Harvey in the dual roles of Willie Bunn and a waiter; Mrs. Thornborough, as Carol Chapin, the coquettish maiden aunt; and Miss V. Tayler, as Annette the maid.

An effective stage setting adds much to the success of the production, and it is expected that capacity houses will be the order during the week for what is assuredly one of the most diverting comedies ever presented at that home of clever productions—the Princess Theatre.

David Belasco, well-known wizard of stage craft, denies the rumor that he is contemplating retirement after achieving a real "masterpiece." "I will die in the harness," Mr. Belasco says. "Work has been my religion since boyhood. I am only beginning it and am more ambitious than ever. The plays that I am already working on and have ordered scenery for and have engaged actors for will take me four or five years to produce. I could not possibly retire with so many interesting things at hand. I will never retire as an active producer until God calls for my passport."

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REX BEACH'S GENIUS INSPIRES "THE BRAND"

Notable Feature at Variety
Theatre This Week;
Alaskan Story

The genius of Rex Beach never was more compellingly demonstrated than in the newest of his famous books to find picturization on the screen. It is "The Brand," widely known because of the thrilling nature of the story, its superb character drawing and the popularity of the locale, Alaska—always fertile ground to Rex Beach.

Produced for Goldwyn and following closely on the success of "Laughing Bill Hyde" and "Too Fat to Fight," "The Brand" comes when interest in the Rex Beach productions is at its height. It is confidently predicted that "The Brand" will exceed both in popular appeal. "The Brand" will be shown at the Variety this week, beginning to-day.

The story is one of great power and appeal. It is drama from the first scene. It grips and thrills as the four principal characters begin to weave their net of love, hate, passion and rebellion, and does not end until the very last scene, when occurs a climax of

such terrific power that the spectator can only wonder how Rex Beach conceived anything so extraordinary. Magnificent Alaska scenes are shown, with raging blizzards, chasms of ice and frozen rivers. Again Rex Beach does not star a player, preferring to use the best talent obtainable for a brilliant, perfectly balanced cast.

The story is one of power and appeal. Dan McGill, an old timer in the Alaskan country, marries a girl from the East. She is Alice Andrews, a little vaudeville actress who has come there with her dancing partner, Bob Barclay. He (Barclay) deserts her and when the older man consoles her, marriage is the logical outcome. But she is not happy in spite of the devotion of her husband. He offers her little besides a roof over her head, and the squalor of her surroundings and her loneliness make Alice easy prey for Barclay when he returns.

McGill discovers this and furiously drives them out. Broken in spirit, he penetrates deep into the mountains and eventually finds a rich vein of gold. McGill returns to town and discovers Alice, now a wreck of her former self, parading nightly in the evil dance hall while Barclay spends his time gambling. From this interesting situation develops a conflict which surges forth in a superb burst of fury and a climax is reached such as only Rex Beach could devise.

PROUD, ALMOST.

"How do you like me for a traveling companion?" asked the detective, as he handcuffed his prisoner to himself. "Oh, I'm very much attached to you," replied the prisoner promptly. —Pearson's Weekly.

MODERN OUTDOOR FILM AT COLUMBIA

"Woman of Redemption" Stars
June Elvidge This
Week

With June Elvidge as the star and with a notably strong cast the new World-Picture, "A Woman of Redemption" is coming to the Columbia to-day for a three-day showing.

This picture is a modern one of exceptional interest. It is filled to the brim with exciting incidents and the climax is a surprising situation which grips the attention of everyone with its intensity and interest.

Miss Elvidge is seen in the role of Gene Romaine, a girl of the Southern mountains. Boss McDaniels, of the lumber camp, who is a "squaw man"—covets her for his own. Her father objects to the marriage, but Gene decides to sacrifice herself rather than see him put out of his humble little cabin by the boss. But at the last minute she is unable to go through with it. She runs away and meets Tim Stanton, son of the lumber tract owner, who has been sent to the camp by his father to sober up. The two young people grow to love each other. They

return to Gene's home, only to find that Boss McDaniels has been murdered. Tim is accused of the crime, but the real culprit is discovered in a surprising manner and the picture ends with Tim and Gene riding away to happiness.

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THREE OF TACOMA SERIES FOR TYEES

Held Egan's Boys Down Until Saturday Night Game

By winning three out of the four games with Tacoma, the Tyees put themselves in line for running right through to the top position in the International Northwestern League. Fans who like the hard hitting games had a feast throughout the series. The local boys carried off Friday afternoon's game by nine to six and the evening game by fifteen to nine, and Harry Morton for the third time this season smashed a league record when he struck out seventeen of the visiting aggregation.

Saturday, the Tyees had the edge on Tacoma in the morning game twelve to ten, but lost the evening game six to five. Bob Ingersoll was in the box for the morning battle, but in the fifth he gave way to Ted Easterly, however, the catcher soon showed he was out of his element, and Engle took his place.

Saturday's box scores were as follows:

Morning Game.	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Victoria.....	10 12 10 24 14 2
Church, 2 b.....	4 0 1 1 2 1
Raymond, 3 b.....	2 2 0 5 5 0
Mullin, 3 b.....	5 3 1 1 0 0
Hinkle, c. and c. f.....	4 2 0 4 2 0
Forsythe, 1 b.....	4 0 1 1 0 0
Easterly, 1 f. p. and c.....	1 1 0 0 1 0
Morton, c. f. and 1 f.....	2 2 3 0 0 0
Oatman, r. f.....	1 0 1 1 0 0
Ingersoll, p. and c. f.....	1 0 0 1 0 0
Engle, p.....	1 0 0 1 0 0

Totals.....	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Tacoma.....	5 8 2 11 11 1
Grant, s.....	5 3 2 2 1 0
Zimmerman, 1 f. p.....	2 0 0 0 0 0
Messner, 3 b.....	5 2 1 1 2 1
Wilson, c. f.....	4 0 2 3 0 0
Reid, 1 b.....	5 0 2 11 1 1
Standridge, 2 b.....	4 2 2 2 0 0
Marshall, r. f.....	4 0 1 1 2 0
Carlson, c.....	5 0 1 1 0 0
Lukanovic, p.....	1 0 0 1 0 0
Houghland, 1 f.....	1 0 0 1 0 0

Totals.....37 10 10 24 14 2
Summary: Home runs—Ingersoll, Mullin, Morton. Two-base hits—Forsythe (2), Mullin, Easterly. Sacrifice hits—Raymond, Easterly. Stolen bases—Raymond, Standridge. Struck out—By Lukanovic, 1; Zimmerman, 2; Ingersoll, 1; Engle, 3. Triple play—Marshall to Reid to Messner. Bases on balls—Off Lukanovic, 3; off Zimmerman, 2; off Ingersoll, 7. Hit by pitched ball—Zimmerman, Standridge, Church, Forsythe. Time of game—2 hours 15 minutes. Umpire—Grindle.

Afternoon Game.	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Victoria.....	10 12 10 24 14 2
Raymond, s.....	4 1 1 1 2 1
Mullin, 3 b.....	5 3 1 1 0 0
Hinkle, c. f.....	4 2 0 4 2 0
Forsythe, 1 b.....	4 0 1 1 0 0
Easterly, c.....	1 1 0 0 1 0
Morton, p.....	2 2 3 0 0 0
Oatman, r. f.....	1 0 1 1 0 0
Engle, 2 b.....	3 0 1 1 1 0
Ingersoll, 1 f.....	4 0 0 1 0 0

Totals.....	A. B. R. H. P. O. A. E.
Tacoma.....	5 8 2 11 11 1
Grant, s.....	5 3 2 2 1 0
Zimmerman, 1 f. p.....	2 0 0 0 0 0
Messner, 3 b.....	5 2 1 1 2 1
Wilson, c. f.....	4 0 2 3 0 0
Reid, 1 b.....	5 0 2 11 1 1
Standridge, 2 b.....	4 2 2 2 0 0
Marshall, r. f.....	4 0 1 1 2 0
Carlson, c.....	5 0 1 1 0 0
Crumpler, p.....	4 0 0 1 0 0

Score by Innings—
Victoria.....2 1 0 0 0 0 0 2
Tacoma.....3 0 0 0 1 2 0 0
Summary: Home runs—Wilson. Three-base hits—Engle, Reid, Wilson. Two-base hits—Standridge, Mullin. Stolen bases—Standridge (2), Oatman. Struck out—By Morton, 14; by Crumpler, 6. Double plays—Easterly to Forsythe; Standridge to Reid. Bases on balls—Off Morton, 4; off Crumpler, 1. Hit by pitched ball—Standridge, Mullin. Time of game—2 hours. Umpire—Grindle.

Split Double-Header.
Seattle, May 25.—Seattle and Vancouver split the double-header to-day in the Northwestern League games. Bob Brown's men taking the opener, 5 to 1, and Devine's club winning the second, 2 to 1. Young Gibson pitched another victory for the Seattle team.

and but for an unearned run would have scored another shutout. The clubs played snappy ball, despite the wet field, and treated fans who braved the bad day to a couple of nice games. In spite of the soggy infield several new double plays were turned in by the two infield combinations, with a couple of sparkling catches in the outfield to live up the proceedings. Burham held the locals to six hits in the first affair and earned his win over young Lukanovic, who was on the hill for Devine. Lukanovic struck out nine, but one bad inning was his ruin. His team mates gave him a one-run lead, but in the third two singles, a walk and another blow to third, which had to be scored as a hit, resulted in the Vancouver scores. Devine had a couple of chances to tie in the eighth and ninth, but nothing happened.



With due respects to everyone it should have been four straight.

Too much fooling in the field nearly lost Victoria the morning game on Saturday and threw away the afternoon affair.

With Morton on the mound granting only six hits and striking out fourteen men, while the Tyees plastered out eleven hits and then lost, showed that there was a nigger in the fence somewhere.

Victoria looks better than any other team in the league right now. They are hitting like a bunch of Irishmen, and no pitcher seems to be able to bring their swinging to naught.

In case Easterly gets hurt, as catchers usually do, the fans need not worry about a backstop. Carl Hinkle, the heavy swinging outfielder, can don a mask. He caught a good game on Saturday morning. He has a low, speedy peg to second.



Jimmie Church is playing a great old game. On Friday he batted .500, slugging out three doubles and two singles in ten trips to the bat. Besides this he stole three bases. He is the fastest Tye on the paths.

Fans are hopeful that Jimmie will be back in the game during the next series. He wrecked his ankle sliding into third on Saturday morning and had to lay off.

Eddie Oatman has everything in his favor as an outfielder. He is fast and sure. The way he jumped into the fence in right field and pulled down what looked like a sure triple showed that his hockey days have taught him that boards have no terrors.

Morton pitches beautiful ball, but has to work his head off to win a game. On Friday he struck out seventeen men, a new record for this circuit, but had a hard job pulling through.

PROMISING AUSTRALIAN.

Australia has another youthful swimmer of promise in Richmond Eve, of Sydney, aged sixteen years. He recently swam 44 yards in 5.5 sec. He is a nephew of the famous Dick Cavill, who recently visited Victoria, who first brought the famous crawl stroke into prominence.

STRAITH'S TWO JACKS AND YARROWS TO-NIGHT

The Yarrows nine are hoping to uphold the honor of the yards in winning the points in the mass athletic at the Willows meet by chalking up a win to-night against Straith's Two Jacks in the amateur baseball league at Royal Athletic Park, commencing at 6.30 o'clock. Yarrows have yet to taste the sweets of victory in the amateur's race, but the team that are fielding to-night is the strongest representation the shipbuilders have had wearing their colors this season.



with a win, although his team-mates made nineteen hits. On Friday he struck out fourteen men but lost. He grooved a ball in at the wrong time and Wilson hit out a home run which won the game.



In four games Morton has struck out fifty-nine men. This is a record for organized baseball.

Tealey Raymond has all the luck that a horse-shoe can give a man. The way he poked out Texas leaguers is heart-breaking to opposing fielders. In the field Tealey is sure and wise.

Ingersoll's arm is a long way from being in shape. In the games he has started as far as he can and will and had very little on the ball.

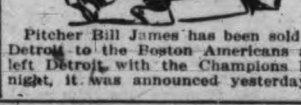
Forsythe has a grudge against someone, and he's taking it out of the ball. He's hitting with a vengeance these days.

Blasterly tried to show what an all-round player he is on Saturday. He played left field and made a beautiful over-the-shoulder catch, then went into the pitcher's box and was touched up for five runs, and finally landed up where he belongs, behind the bat.

Tacoma still needs to do a lot of bolstering to its team.

The Foundation team had a lead of six to two at Nansimo Saturday when the game was stopped at the end of the third inning on account of rain.

Dr. F. P. Henry, the first hurler to pitch a curved ball, died Saturday. Henry died the aged ball player of forty-six years ago playing for Princeton University against the old Athletics.



BASEBALL MAGNATES MEET AT VANCOUVER

Games Every Day of the Week Will Come Under Discussion

Vancouver, May 26.—International Northwestern Baseball League magnates from three cities of the league had an all-day conference at the Hotel Vancouver yesterday and after it looked for hours as if no decision could be arrived at as to altering the playing schedule the meeting was adjourned till this morning at 10 o'clock when the missing owner, A. J. Duttle, of Seattle, will be here to join Bob Brown, of Vancouver, Willis Egan, of Tacoma, and Dunc Hamilton, of Victoria, and Secretary A. P. Garvey, of Vancouver, were present, but President J. A. Omond, of Seattle, was absent.

Vancouver and Victoria would change the schedule so as to have games from Wednesday to Saturday, inclusive, in both cities, or even every week day, with Sunday games in nearby towns across the border. The doubtful cities are Seattle and Tacoma. Tacoma would also favor this change, it is believed, if some arrangements could be made for grounds for Sunday games. The contests in that city are in the stadium, in the centre of the city and controlled by the city government and so far they have not permitted Sunday baseball at those grounds, though Sunday games are permitted by state law.

Revelstoke, B. C., May 24.—In a keenly-contested baseball game here to-day Revelstoke defeated Kamloops by a score of 5 to 1. The High School team of Kamloops succeeded in defeating the Revelstoke High School boys by a score of 17 to 14.

LEAGUE BASEBALL

SATURDAY'S GAMES.

At San Francisco..... R. H. E.
Portland..... 3 9 2
San Francisco..... 5 11 3
Batteries—Penner and Baker; Couch and McKee.

At Los Angeles..... R. H. E.
Seattle..... 1 20 1
Batteries—Valencia, Gleichen, Bowman and Schang; Pertica and Boles.

At Sacramento..... R. H. E.
Yoncon..... 5 10 2
Sacramento..... 4 6 1
Batteries—Fromme and Devermer; Bromley, McKenry, Vance and Murray.

At Salt Lake..... R. H. E.
Ogden..... 11 16 3
Salt Lake..... 15 18 1
Batteries—Kremer, A. Arlett and Elliott; Levens, Gould, Dale and Spencer.

National.
At New York..... R. H. E.
St. Louis..... 2 14 2
New York..... 2 3 1
Batteries—Turo and Clemens; Barnes, Schupp and Gonzales.

At Boston..... R. H. E.
Cincinnati..... 1 5 1
Boston..... 4 7 0
Batteries—Fisher, Bresler and Harliden; Neph and Gowdy.

At Philadelphia..... R. H. E.
Chicago..... 2 6 3
Philadelphia..... 4 11 0
Batteries—Vaughn, Douglas and Killfer; Daly, Jacobs and Adams.

At Brooklyn..... R. H. E.
Pittsburg..... 4 7 2
Brooklyn..... 6 7 4
Batteries—Mayer, Adams and McSweeney; Grimes and Krueger.

American.
At St. Louis..... R. H. E.
Washington..... 1 9 2
St. Louis..... 2 4 0
Batteries—Harper and Pielnich; Wellman and Billings, Mayer.

At Philadelphia..... R. H. E.
Philadelphia..... 3 15 2
Cleveland..... 6 9 2
Batteries—Seibold, Taylor, Johnson, Kline and Perkins; Ensmann and O'Neill.

At Detroit..... R. H. E.
Boston..... 3 7 1
Detroit..... 5 11 1
Batteries—Punnett, Mays and Walters; Ehmske and Alansmith.

At Chicago..... R. H. E.
New York..... 2 5 0
Chicago..... 1 5 0
Batteries—Thornhill and Ruel; Faber, Kerr and Schalk.

Northwestern.
Vancouver-Seattle—Both games postponed; rain.

SUNDAY'S GAMES.

American League.

At Chicago..... R. H. E.
Washington..... 5 8 0
Chicago..... 6 7 1
Batteries—Shaw, Ayres, Craft, Johnson and Pielnich; Lowdermilk, Kerr, Danforth and Schalk.

At St. Louis..... R. H. E.
New York..... 5 10 2
St. Louis..... 6 7 1
Batteries—Mogridge, Nelson, Russell and Ruel; Shocker and Mayer.

At Cleveland..... R. H. E.
Boston..... 7 11 2
Cleveland..... 3 8 0
Batteries—Mays and Walters; Dagby and O'Neill.

May 25.—Detroit took its fifth consecutive victory to-day by defeating Philadelphia, 3 to 2.

Score:
Philadelphia..... 2 6 2
Detroit..... 3 8 0
Batteries—Rogers and McAvoy; Dugas and Alansmith.

Coast League.

At Oakland..... R. H. E.
Portland..... 1 2 3
San Francisco..... 5 6 0
Batteries—Jones, Cooper and Baker; Seaton and McKee.

At San Francisco..... R. H. E.
Portland..... 5 8 2
San Francisco..... 3 9 5
Batteries—Ollman and Koehler; Smith and McKee.

Morning game—
St. Louis..... 2 10 2
Los Angeles..... 2 6 2
Batteries—Mails and Schang; Cook; Aldridge and Boles.

Afternoon game—
Seattle..... 7 11 1
Los Angeles..... 6 11 1
Batteries—Falkenberg, Bigbee and Cook; Crandall and Lapan.

At Salt Lake..... R. H. E.
Oakland..... 6 11 2
Salt Lake..... 8 14 2
Batteries—Holling, Brenton and Elliott; Maricle and Ryler.

At Sacramento..... R. H. E.
Vernon..... 2 5 2
Sacramento..... 1 6 0
Batteries—Houck and Brooks; Pierce, Vance and Murray.

International League.

Toronto..... R. H. E.
Rochester..... 5 6 4
Batteries—Brogan, Acosta and O'Neill; Hirsch and Sandberg.

Buffalo..... R. H. E.
Binghamton..... 5 7 3
Batteries—Ryan and Casey; Higgins and Smith.

Baltimore..... R. H. E.
Jersey City..... 5 7 2
Batteries—Newland and Egan; Morissette and Hyde.

At Newark—First game—
Reading..... 1 7 2
Newark..... 2 7 0
(Eleven innings.)

Batteries—Pitt and Konnick; Rommel and Bruggy.
Second game—
Reading..... 1 2 0
Newark..... 1 2 0
Batteries—Donahue and Konnick; Shea and Bruggy.

National League.
At Brooklyn..... R. H. E.
Pittsburg..... 0 3 3
Brooklyn..... 5 8 3
Batteries—Hamilton, Evans and Sweeney; Smith and Krueger.

At New York..... R. H. E.
St. Louis..... 1 2 1
New York..... 1 2 2
Batteries—Goodwin, May and Clemens; Causey and Gonzales.

Northwestern League.
At Seattle—First game—
Vancouver..... 3 5 1
Seattle..... 1 6 0
Batteries—Barham and Patterson; Lukanovic and Boelsie.

Second game—
Vancouver..... 2 2 1
Seattle..... 2 2 1
Batteries—Clink and Patterson; Gibson and Boelsie.

CANNEFEX WILL BE BUSY.

Robert Cannefex, who recently regained the three-cushion billiard title by defeating Alfredo De Oro, will defend the title against Clarence Jackson, a well-known expert now residing at Kansas City. His \$100 forfeit money was deposited February 18 last. Others in line for a match with the champion are Pierre Maupome, Charles MacGowan, Augie Kleckhofer and Byron So, Giltter.

GORGE SCENE OF HOLIDAY REVELS

Aquatic Events and Fast Swimming Feature of Giant Entertainment

Whenever Victoria has given itself up to a day of enjoyment, the Gorge Park has always proved the scene of a great part of the whole city's merriment. Saturday was no exception. Disregarding the mandates of the Weather Clerk in their determination to "make a day of it," about 4,000 people thronged the popular resort and enjoyed to the fullest extent the entertainment provided by the "Comrades of the Great War" and their friends.

Fast Swimming

Some really fast swimming was evident in the aquatic sports which, as in all past years have formed perhaps the chief lure of the holiday multitude. Miss Audrey Griffin, Victoria's leading "mermaid" and Canada's premier lady swimmer, was up against two aquatic stars of unusual ability in Miss Ethel Knowles and Miss Anna Mayhall, of the Crystal Pool Swimming Club, Seattle. The local girl, whose former long-distance swimming, maintained Victoria's reputation with a remarkable exhibition of the water art. J. Brydon-Jack, of the Vancouver Swimming Club, who came second to Miss Griffin in the times long-distance race, was again victor in the first in the two events which he entered.

The fifty-yard dash for ladies brought into play the utmost exertions of the three leading women swimmers. Miss Griffin and Miss Knowles finishing together and Miss Mayhall coming a very close third. The time as recorded by the time-keeper was 34½ seconds, which beats the Pacific Northwest record by 1½ seconds. In the contest between Miss Griffin and Miss Knowles to decide the tie the Seattle girl won by a small fraction, time 37 seconds. In the fifty yards breast stroke, Miss Knowles was again victor with the time of 44.3-5 seconds. Miss Mayhall coming second and Miss Griffin third. Miss Knowles also made away with the 100 yards dash, Miss Griffin finishing second by the narrow margin. Victoria's representative found no difficulty in winning a fifty-yard swim with the breast stroke.

Men's Events.

The fifty yard dash and fifty backstroke for men were both won by Brydon-Jack, the former in 31.4-5 seconds and the latter in 53.4-5 seconds. In the first race which was very close, Worth and Muir tied for second, while in the second the Vancouver boy had his own way over Grubb and Muir. Great diving gave the spectators a few breathless moments. Miss Mayhall started with four dives from thirty-five feet and two from twenty feet, while the Victoria boys were in excellent form. The comic element was afforded by various greasy-pole and canoe-tipping events, while Jumbo and Albie, the famous Dave twins, mixed in a whirlwind flistic battle on the float.

The sports were unusually well managed by the V. I. A. A., which staged the whole gala without the aid of any other club. Another feature of the day's entertainment was the bugle performance staged by the Ex-World Champion Frank Slavin. No one apparently desired to try conclusions with the old batter, but some excellent bouts were witnessed between him and "Scotty" Ford.

The Results were:

Summary of Results.
50 yards, boys 13 and under—J. Kinsman; 2, D. Bone; 3, R. Wood. Time, 42.1-5 seconds.
50 yards, girls under 15—May Buchanan; 2, Crawley; 3, Ayr. Time, 44 seconds.
Canoe relay team race—1, Hobbs' team; 2, Winterburn's team. Time, 2.28.
Pillow fight—Fort and Calder (tie).
50 yards, boys under 15—1, Muir; 2, Boyd; 3, Sparks. Time, 46 seconds.
50 yards, ladies—1, Miss Audrey Griffin and Miss Ethel Knowles (tie); 2, Miss Anna Mayhall. Time, 34½ seconds.

50 yards, University School Championships—1, Y. G. C. Matthews; 2, C. Thompson; 3, P. Dawson. Time, 32 seconds.
Mixed canoe tilting—1, Calder and Muir; 2, Grubb and Winterburn.

50 yards backstroke, ladies—1, Miss Ethel Knowles; 2, Miss Mayhall; 3, Miss Audrey Griffin. Time, 44.3-5 seconds.

50 yards dash, men—1, V. Brydon-Jack; 2, Worth and Muir (tie); 3, Matthews. Time, 31.4-5 seconds.

Canoe centipede race—1, Muir's team; 2, Grubb's team. Time, 54 seconds.

50 yards, backstroke, men—1, V. Brydon-Jack; 2, Grubb; 3, Muir. Time, 53.4-5 seconds.

100 yards, ladies—1, Miss Ethel Knowles; 2, Miss Audrey Griffin; 3, Miss Mayhall. Time, 1.30½ seconds.

Tug-of-war—Grubb's team. Boxing—A. Davies vs. J. Davies, draw.

50 yards breaststroke, men—1, Calder; 2, Brydon-Jack; 3, Grubb. Time, 49 seconds.

50 yards breaststroke, ladies—1, Miss Audrey Griffin; 2, Miss Anna Mayhall; 3, Miss Ethel Knowles. Time, 44.3-5 seconds.

Log-rolling—1, Hobbs. Greasy pole—1, Calder. Diving—Herbert Calder and William Muir tied for first place; two dives from 35 feet, two dives from 70 feet.

The following were the officials who looked after the sports: Messrs. W. H. Wilkerson, Taylor and Hinson; timekeepers, Messrs. Christopher and Taylor; starter, W. Davies; referee, Harry Boyd.

Prizes may be secured at the offices of the Empire Realty Co., Fort Street.

MEETING TO AWARD SWIMMING TITLE EVENTS

E. E. Hand, president of the British Columbia section of the Canadian Amateur Swimming Association, has called a meeting for May 31 at Vancouver. The business will be the election of officers and the allotment of the British Columbia championships. There will be delegates present from the Vancouver Amateur Swimming Club, the Jericho Swimming Club, the Point Grey Club and the Victoria organizations. With the resumption of provincial championships this year there will be keen competition for the title events.

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TENNIS OPENING

TAKES PLACE TO-DAY

American Handicap Tournament For Saturday Was Postponed

As the rain had made the courts in poor condition for tennis, the opening of the American Handicap tournament at the Willows Courts was postponed from Saturday until to-day. Play was due to start at 4 o'clock, the draw for partners being as follows:

Division "A."
Miss Markham and Whittaker, Miss Cotsworth and Fairbairn, Mrs. Schaff and Killo, Miss Idens and Bone, Miss M. Leeming and Groves, Miss A. Long, and Kennedy, Miss B. Wilson and Gordon, Miss Ashdown and Proctor, Miss Bradford and W. H. Wilson.

Division "B."
Mrs. Rickaby and Reade, Miss L. M. Archibald and Meakin, Miss D. G. Harris and Beckwith, Miss K. Grubb and Muncy, Miss S. Watson and King, Miss Taylor and Neary, Miss L. M. Jackson and D. B. Hudson, Miss Andrews and Dalby, Mrs. Irwin and Wyles.

Division "C."
Miss Hodgins and D. Hines, Mrs. Mellin and Davies, Miss Swan and Yates,

SPORTS AT WILLOWS WERE GREAT SUCCESS

Variety and Excitement For Spectators at Track and Field Meet

As the officials of the track and field meet at the Willows promised, there was not a dull moment Saturday for those attending the big event. Yarrow's team won the mass athletics in which a great deal of interest was centered. There was a good entry for most of the events, the results being as follows:

Following is a list of the events and their winners:

50 yards dash, open—1, B. Valo, 8 seconds; 2, D. Heyland, 9 seconds.

75 yards dash, boys 15 and 17 inclusive—1, J. R. Naden, 8 4-5 seconds; 2, D. Heyland.

75 yards dash, girls 15 and 17 inclusive—1, Rita Allen; 2, Bessie Horsland.

100 yards dash, open—1, D. Heyland, 10 4-5 seconds; 2, B. Valo.

100 yards three-legged race—1, J. R. Naden and A. Lewis; 2, H. Ryan and L. Bick.

100 yards dash for members of ex-service men's organizations—1, D. Heyland; 2, W. Crawford.

75 yards dash, ladies, single, 18 years or over—1, Sarah Watson, 11 2-5 seconds; 2, P. E. Gale; 3, M. E. Standish.

Throwing 16-lb. hammer—1, A. Manson, 107 ft.; 2, W. Elliott, 81 ft.

Throwing 22-lb. weight—1, A. Manson, 22 ft. 10 in.; 2, J. McDermott, 22 ft. 10 in.; 3, W. Elliott, 20 ft. 9 1/2 in.

Running broad jump—1, B. Valo; 2, W. Crawford.

Running high jump—1, M. Dixon, 4 ft. 11 in.; 2, D. Heyland, 4 ft. 10 in.

Mass events, 7 men to a team—1, Yarrow's, Ltd.

Tug-of-war—1, Yarrow's, Ltd.

Highland fling—1, Miss McIntyre.

Sword dance—1, Miss McIntyre.

Irish jig—1, Miss McIntyre.

220 yards dash, open—1, D. Heyland; 2, B. Valo; 3, W. Crawford.

220 yards dash, members of ex-service men's organizations—1, W. Crawford; 2, A. N. N.; 3, D. Heyland; 4, N. N.

Horse race—Millington.

75 yards sack race, 18 years or over—1, F. Patti; 2, S. Humber; 3, F. Lewis.

75 yards sack race, 15 years or over—1, T. Wilson, 11 1-5 seconds; 2, A. Heritt; 3, R. Wilson.

440 yards run, open—1, W. W. Crawford; 2, D. Heyland; 3, L. Bickell.

Motor-cycle race, 2 miles—1, H. Jones, 4 min. 26 2-5 sec.; 2, J. Low.

Medley race (walk 220 yards, run 140 yards, cycle 880 yards)—1, J. R. Naden; 2, A. Lewis; 3, F. Lewis.

880 yards run—1, R. Mackay; 2, H. Bickell; 3, A. Lewis.

Motor-cycle race, 5 miles—1, H. Jones; 2, J. Low.

Relay race (4 men to a team), 220 yards—1, Foundation.

Officials for the Day.

Chairman General Committee, Mr. I. Kingham. Secretary, Mr. Prescott. Referee, Arthur Manson, chairman Sports Committee.

Clerk of course, James Thompson. Assistants, Dal. Thomas, William Inglis, Cecil Rhodes.

Starter, Dan O'Sullivan. Timekeepers, W. H. Wilkerson, M. J. Little.

Finishing tape officials, A. C. Hill, H. A. Bates, D. J. Clark.

Judges of track events, F. W. H. Holmes, M.P.P.; J. Cameron, L. D. McLean.

Judges of field events, Moses Doyle, G. A. Beck.

Measurers, G. H. Attwood, W. J. Edwards.

Scorers, H. J. Young, E. Down, H. Orchard.

Marshal, H. J. O'Leary.

Judges of dancing, E. B. Paul, A. G. Smith, Mrs. Christie.

Piper, Donald Cameron.

Announcer, H. M. Digson.

THOUSANDS OF FANS KEEN TO SEE DEMPSEY

Toledo, Ohio, May 25.—Thousands of visitors thronged Jack Dempsey's training camp to-day and went away disappointed because the challenger failed to do any boxing. Dempsey was eager enough to rip into his sparring partners, but Trainer Jimmy De Forest forbade it because the newly constructed ring has not been padded.

Women and children of the Bayshore district are showing more interest in Dempsey's work than the men. The clubhouse grounds were jammed with them and they watched every move the challenger made.

Newspaper correspondents in the Dempsey camp played a game of baseball with Dempsey and his trainers and got away with the big end of the 9 to 8 score. Dempsey was taken out of the game in the third because it was feared that he might damage an ankle.

SAN FRANCISCO FIGHTS.

San Francisco, May 25.—Lee Johnson, of Oakland, got the decision over Muff Bronson, of Portland, in a boxing bout here last night. Albie Nock, of New York, won on points from Billy Nelson. The main bout between Earl Bald, until recently a lieutenant in the army, and Joe White, went to Bald.

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SWIMMERS BROUGHT BY W. H. DAVIES

Miss Ethel Knowles and Miss Anna Mayhall, the two Seattle swimmers who contributed so largely to the success of the George gala on Saturday were brought from Seattle to Victoria at the personal expense of W. H. Davies, superintendent of the V. I. A. A.

RAIN INTERFERES WITH HOLIDAY GOLF

Competitions, However, Progressed at Oak Bay and Colwood

Although there were showers throughout the day Saturday, the golf competition arranged for Victoria Day at the Colwood links was held as planned. There were, however, only nine entries, but the play was close and interesting. A. V. Price and Frank Thompson tied for first place with a score of five up and bogey. Mr. Scrivner, P. Criddle and H. Turnbull were tied for second place with a score of three up.

At the Oak Bay links there was an entry of players for the 18-hole match against par, and although the weather was threatening all day, the players went the complete distance. The Hon. John Hart carried off first place with a score of two up, and about a dozen other competitors all finished within a close margin.

WITH THE BOY SCOUTS

Official List of Scout Troops

Third Troop: Scoutmaster W. H. Brown, Merchants' Bank, Sidney. Headquarters: Green Block, Broad Street. Parade Friday, 7.30 p.m.

McLean Troop: Scoutmaster P. Trowsdale, 424 William Street. Headquarters: Presbyterian Church, Victoria West. Parade Tuesday, 7.30 p.m.

St. James Church Troop: Scoutmaster C. J. Cherry, 1022 Bank Street. Headquarters: rear, 405 Michigan Street. Parade Monday and Thursday, 7 p.m.

St. John's Church Troop: Scoutmaster G. H. Bevan-Pritchard, 791 Topaz Avenue. Headquarters, St. John's Church Schoolroom. Parade Tuesday, 7.30 p.m.

School Troops.

Preparatory School, Oak Bay. Collegiate School, Rockland Avenue. McLean Troop: The troop is working hard on the Second Class Badge. Instruction being given on the points of the compass and first aid at the last meeting. The troop meeting will be held on Friday this week instead of Tuesday, on account of the social which is being held at headquarters on that day.

St. James Church Troop: A few vacancies still exist for recruits in this troop, some boys of fourteen being required to fill the senior patrol, while the other patrols have also room for one or two more.

RAIN MADE VANCOUVER PROGRAMME A WASHOUT

Vancouver, May 24.—The elaborate programme of sports which had been prepared for the Victoria Day holiday in Vancouver and district had to be abandoned to-day on account of adverse weather conditions.

The aerial events planned for to-day were called off. So was the boxing bout between Mickey King, the Australian, and Enrik Barriquo, the Vancouver boy. The Brighouse arena auditorium is roofless, and it was impossible to assemble the crowd in it to see the interesting sporting event.

About 5,000 fans were ready to take their seats for the bout, and in spite of the rain a large number journeyed out to Minor Park in the hope of seeing something interesting.

Tommy Burns, ex-heavyweight champion and promoter of the present event, announced that tickets taken for Saturday's event will be available for the fight on Wednesday evening.

TROEH DEFENDS TITLE AGAINST HIS BROTHER

Portland, Ore., May 25.—Frank Troeh, of Vancouver, Wash., successfully defended his title of world's all-around amateur trapshooting champion to-day, when he defeated his brother, J. B. Troeh, 185 to 170. By the rules under which this trophy was awarded the shoot was 50 targets at 15 yards, 50 at 20 yards, 50 at 25 yards and 50 doubles. Frank Troeh won all but the doubles event, which J. B. Troeh took.

SCHOOL SPORTS DREW FOUR HUNDRED ENTRIES

With an entry of over 400, the Victoria and District Public School sports were held under favorable conditions at Oak Bay Park Friday. The entries were run off in a prompt and efficient manner, and the meet was cordially enjoyed by the youngsters and the large attendance of adults.

FOUNDATION TAKE FIRST GAME IN THE RACE FOR MANN CUP

Reduce Three Nothing Lead at Half Time and Win by Five to Four

After the Vancouver stickhandlers had obtained a three goal to nothing lead in the first two quarters, the Foundation lacrosse men Saturday at Royal Athletic Park staged a magnificent attack in the last two quarters and ran out winners by five goals to four. In the third quarter Jake Davis kept his net intact and the home players twice beat Calhoun. In the last quarter the shipbuilders hung up three more and the outside home men of the Vancouver team found the net for the visitors' fourth goal.

The rain made the grass too slippery for either team to play the lacrosse they are capable of, but it was a splendid game for an opener, and gave promise of a lot of exciting battles in the Mann Cup series this year. The Foundation boys showed the result of the strenuous practices in which they have indulged and were in far better condition than the Mainland players. Pottinger, to his chagrin was absent from the line-up, the first defence man playing a bawling performance for 2.30 instead of 2 o'clock. Redgrave held down the job.

There were about 500 fans present, in spite of the unfavorable weather, and they were well repaid for having the players well capable of were thrown into the game, McInnis was injured and the Mainland team released McConaghy rather than allow a fresh player on the field.

McDougal drew a penalty and weakened his side, but with just over half a minute to play, Feedham took a long pass and banged home the winning goal.

Lineup.

Foundation Position Vancouver:

Davis Goal Calhoun
Clegg Point Campbell
Sweeney Cover Point Mowat
Redgrave 1st Defence Glander
P. Krosner 2nd Defence Johnson
McDougal Centre Peterson
Joe Painter 3rd Home Dickinson
A. McInnis 2nd Home Johnson
J. Mitchell 1st Home Gilmour
Feedham Outside Home Gray
McGregor Inside Home Callwell
Referee—Capt. Stanley
Judge of play—R. Johnston.
Timekeepers—Bob Mould and Heck Fowler.
Penalty timekeeper—Bob McInnis.

Summary.

First period—1, Vancouver, Peterson, 8 min. 40 sec.; 2, Vancouver, Gilmour, 24 min. 43 sec.

Second period—3, Vancouver, Callwell, 14 min. 43 sec.

Third period—4, Victoria, Painter, 17 min.; 5, Victoria, McGregor, 1 min. 25 sec.

Fourth period—6, Victoria, J. Johnson, 4 min. 15 sec.; 7, Victoria, A. McInnis, 1 min. 25 sec.; 8, Vancouver, Lily Gray, 10 min. 2 sec.; 9, Victoria, Feedham, 4 min. 36 sec.

PACIFIC COAST BOWLING.

San Francisco, May 25.—The fifth annual tournament of the Pacific Coast Bowling Association closed here last night with the election of officers and the completion of play in the doubles and singles events. Those selected were: M. P. Kresch, Los Angeles, president; J. H. Hauser, San Francisco, vice-president; W. T. Tupper, San Diego, secretary-treasurer. Oakland was selected for the 1920 tournament.

Kelton, of Oakland, led in the singles with 677, Shay, Los Angeles, followed with 672. In the doubles, Yount, Fresno, and Walgren, San Jose, followed in the order named, their scores being respectively 617, 614, 608 and 606. More than 150 entrants participated in the singles. Romeo-Parker, Oakland, led in the doubles with 1,234. More than eighty entrants participated.

Started Late, But Bagged the Trophies.



ARTHUR MANSON

Arthur Manson, President of the Victoria and District Football League, who has just been re-elected president of the British Columbia branch of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, has a unique record in sport. Manson was always an enthusiastic follower of sport from the time he was a wee lad wearing kilts in the land whence it he crossed the ocean. In Canada he followed sports with the same enthusiasm and is one of the pioneers of the soccer game in this country.

It was not until he was thirty-three years of age that he was discovered as an athlete. Some sports were being held by St. Andrew's Society, a favorite old Scottish sports—which he had often watched and never joined in. Under great persuasion he threw off his usual reticence. He carried off the prize for throwing the 16-lb. hammer and was awarded the St. Andrew's Cup. That was in 1905, and with the first taste of the sweets of victory he became ambitious and then proceeded to make a collection of cups big enough to stock a fair-sized jeweler's store. At other picnics he proved to be invincible at throwing the hammer, and in 1909 carried off the Vancouver Island championship at throwing the 56-lb. weight and the 16-lb. hammer at sports held in Victoria.

SKATER ON HIS WAY HOME FROM OVERSEAS

Arthur Menard, skater and ice hockey player, is on his way home from France, and has reached Montreal. Menard, who is a bright energetic sportsman, was in the employ of the Empress Hotel for about three years. He left to proceed overseas with the Western Scouts, and was wounded while fighting in France. He was a clever speed skater, and has several medals won on the steel blades. He is also a stick handler of ability, and played hockey in the East.

COMIC CRICKET CREATED LOTS OF AMUSEMENT

With their enthusiasm undampened by the threatening weather, the cricketers carried out their comic cricket match as originally planned at the Jubilee grounds, Victoria Day. H. N. Hinks as the Widow Twankey was followed by a grotesque party who provided plenty of fun when they arrived at the cricket pitch. Tennis balls, cricket bats, and a football were all used, and the match was in view of the tremendous totals piled up by some of the batsmen, the number of lost balls and the doubtful decisions of the umpires, no official score of the game was taken.

THE NANAIMO FIGHTS

Nanaimo, May 24.—Nanaimo boxers carried off the honors Saturday night in the finals of the amateur boxing tournament. The best bout of the evening was between Leigh McInnis, of Nanaimo, and Corbie, of Victoria, heavyweight, the Nanaimo boxer being awarded the decision after four rounds of hard fighting. Bailey, of Nanaimo, won from Wilgus, of Victoria, in the 140 class, and Popham, of Victoria, forced Crebbe, Nanaimo, to quit in the second round. In the final of the 110 pound class, McLeod, of Nanaimo, carried off the honors. In the 130 pound class, Jones, Victoria, who won his bout in the preliminary, declined to enter the final. Farmer, of Nanaimo, won the special 115 pound class. Morgan, Ladysmith, defeated Hurdren, of Cumberland, in the special 150 pound class. Six hundred persons saw the bouts.

LACROSSE

The Victoria West lacrosse team will hold a practice to-night at 6.30 at the new park Victoria West. Ed. Popham points-out that the opening game in the Intermediate League is close at hand, and requests that the players turn out in good force.

YOUNG TENNIS STAR HAS INJURED ARM

New York, May 26.—Vincent Richards, youthful tennis star, who Saturday was reinstated, after being suspended from competition because of his connection with a sporting goods concern, tore a ligament in his arm this afternoon when he attempted to crank an automobile which was to carry him to a tournament at New Rochelle. According to his physician, his injury will keep him from the courts for a month.

CHANGES MADE TO SPEED UP GUTTED STICK GAME

Vancouver, May 22.—Further action designed to make lacrosse more attractive to the public and to "speed it up" was taken last night at a meeting in New Westminster of the Terminal and Westminster clubs of the B. C. L. A.

The games will be played in three twenty-minute periods, as in hockey, with a five minute rest between periods. There will be ten men on each side, with substitutes allowed, but no more than thirteen men to be on any one team at a time. This arrangement will be in effect till July 1, after which the clubs will decide on how many they will carry.

It was tentatively agreed that after July 1 no outside men, aside from those that return from war service locally, can be signed for the remainder of this season.

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SOUTH AMERICAN FOOTBALL.

Rio de Janeiro, May 25.—Playing in the final game for the championship of South America, football teams representing Brazil and Uruguay battled to a tie here to-day, the score being 2-2. Another contest will be played during the coming week. Brazil to-day won the water polo championship defeating the Uruguayan team by a score of 11-0.

Toronto, May 26.—By a score of 2-1, the Bethlehem Stars defeated an all-star Toronto Soccer Team, in a game played here Saturday afternoon. The first half ended with the score Toronto 1, Bethlehem 0. About 10,000 enthusiasts witnessed the game, which took place at the University Stadium, Saturday being a holiday.

WILLING TO POSTPONE.

Chicago, May 22.—The Royal Canadian Golf Association to-day wired President Charles F. Thompson of the Western Golf Association a willingness to postpone for a week the tour of Canada by crack American golfers, so that they might compete in the Western Amateur championship at St. Louis, June 16-22, and also play the Red Cross exhibitions in Canada.

This arrangement will make it possible for national champion Charles Evans, Jr., Bobbie Jones and Perry Adair, of Atlanta, Jerome D. Travis, John G. Anderson, Grantland Rice and Oswald Kirkby, of New York and Francis Ouimet, to enter.

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Arthur Manson, President of the Victoria and District Football League, who has just been re-elected president of the British Columbia branch of the Amateur Athletic Union of Canada, has a unique record in sport. Manson was always an enthusiastic follower of sport from the time he was a wee lad wearing kilts in the land whence it he crossed the ocean. In Canada he followed sports with the same enthusiasm and is one of the pioneers of the soccer game in this country.

It was not until he was thirty-three years of age that he was discovered as an athlete. Some sports were being held by St. Andrew's Society, a favorite old Scottish sports—which he had often watched and never joined in. Under great persuasion he threw off his usual reticence. He carried off the prize for throwing the 16-lb. hammer and was awarded the St. Andrew's Cup. That was in 1905, and with the first taste of the sweets of victory he became ambitious and then proceeded to make a collection of cups big enough to stock a fair-sized jeweler's store. At other picnics he proved to be invincible at throwing the hammer, and in 1909 carried off the Vancouver Island championship at throwing the 56-lb. weight and the 16-lb. hammer at sports held in Victoria.

Among other prizes the veteran has gathered in have been two jugs at the Merchants' picnic, a cup for throwing the stiff-handled hammer, Scottish style, several cups for throwing the 16-lb. hammer and the 56-lb. weight. He has also won the 16-lb. hammer and the 56-lb. weight at the Victoria and District Public School sports, and the 16-lb. hammer and the 56-lb. weight at the Victoria and District Public School sports.

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FINANCIAL NEWS

BULL MARKET STILL SEEN AT NEW YORK

Motor Stocks Sweep Upward in Broad Market

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)

New York, May 26.—Bullish activity continues in the stock market. Motor developments are said to justify the optimistic attitude taken by traders on the motor stocks. This group was probably more in steel trade is accepted as cheerful and there evidence than any other in the market advance in prices to-day. The news from the west is plenty of buying powers behind the gains. The rails reflected great strength and appear to be under steady accumulation by the best interests. Rubber and tire stocks advanced easily. There did not appear to be a weak spot in the market.

NEW YORK SUGAR

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Open	High	Low	Last	
July	11.50	11.40	11.45	11.45
Oct.	11.50	11.40	11.45	11.45
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VICTORIA STOCK MARKET

Stock	Price
Bowen Copper	22 1/2
Canada Copper	22 1/2
Consolidated M. & S.	22 1/2
Cork Pottery	22 1/2
Crow's Nest Coal	22 1/2
Drum Lumber	22 1/2
Granby	22 1/2
Howe Sound	22 1/2
International	22 1/2
McMillan	22 1/2
Metallurgical	22 1/2
Nugget	22 1/2
Northern Pacific	22 1/2
Standard	22 1/2
Sunshine	22 1/2
Victory Bonds	22 1/2

MONTEAL STOCKS

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Stock	Price
Alcan. Traction	22 1/2
Can. Pac. Ry.	22 1/2
Civil Serv. Ind.	22 1/2
Dom. L. & S.	22 1/2
Spanish River Pulp	22 1/2
Do. pref.	22 1/2
Steel of Can.	22 1/2

WORKING TO SETTLE ADRIATIC PROBLEM

Negotiations Resumed at Paris; Note From Austrians to Allies

Paris, May 26.—There were indications here today in Peace Conference circles that negotiations for the settlement of the Italian problem were being resumed. It is understood that a strong effort is being made by the French, British and Italians to have the Treaty of London form the basis of the settlement.

EMPRESS OF RUSSIA DUE HERE MAY 29

Ottawa, May 26.—The liner Empress of Russia, with 1,491 members of the Canadian-Siberian Expeditionary Force and thirty-four Imperial soldiers for England probably will reach Victoria on May 29. She carries fifty-nine Canadian officers and 1,432 men. The classification by military districts follows:

Victoria—Four officers and 144 other ranks.

Winnipeg—One officer and forty-seven other ranks.

Regina—No officers; thirty-six other ranks.

Calgary—No officers; forty other ranks.

COURTS OF REVISION

Equipt, North Saanich, Victoria City, and Islands Districts and Corporations.

A special Court of Revision and Appeal, under the provisions of the "Taxation Act" and "Taxation Act Amendment Act, 1917," and "Public Schools Act," respectively, the supplementary assessment rolls for the year 1918, will be held for the above assessment districts as follows, viz:

For Equipt District—At Price's Hotel, Parsons Bridge, Equipt, B. C., on Wednesday, the 4th day of June, 1919, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

For North Saanich and Islands—At the Sidney Hotel, Sidney, B. C., on Thursday, the 5th day of June, 1919, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon.

For Victoria City, Islands, and Corporations—At the Provincial Assessor's Office, Parliament Buildings, Victoria, B. C., on Friday, the 6th day of June, 1919, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 19th day of May, 1919.

THOS. S. FUTCHER
Judge of the Court of Revision and Appeal.

CHICAGO GRAINS ADVANCE IN PRICES

(By Burdick Bros. & Brett, Ltd.)

Chicago, May 26.—Sentiment was bearish at the opening and sellers were prominent in the morning dealings. Figures given out showed a big decrease in the visible supply and forced in the shorts in a buying movement which started as soon as the figures were known. May corn sold at a high figure and closed at 1.00.

Grain	Open	High	Low	Last
May Corn	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
July	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00
Sept.	1.00	1.00	1.00	1.00

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THREE SETTLEMENT AREAS SOON TO BE CREATED IN NORTH

thers Will Follow Speedily
Afterwards, Says Hon. E.
D. Barrow

OMPULSORY PURCHASE POWERS TO BE APPLIED

At least three additional land settlement areas will be established in the northern central section of British Columbia in the immediate future, with more to follow at no distant date. This is the essence of an announcement made by the Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, who returned to his office in the Parliament Building from the North this morning. While the exact location, boundaries and extent of each area have not been decided upon, Mr. Barrow has selected the Prince George, Vanderhoof and Bulkley Valley localities for this immediate further extension of the Land Settlement Board's development activities.

Converted Barnard.
Accompanying the Minister on his tour was T. A. Barnard, President of the New Westminster branch of the Great War Veterans' Association, who was selected by the Provincial Executive of the organization following an invitation sent by Mr. Barrow to have representative of the returned men with him during the trip for consultation on their behalf. Mr. Barnard told the Minister that he had persistently discouraged the idea of settling soldiers in the northern interior, but before Mr. Barrow's departure he had changed his mind and decided to accompany him on his return to New Westminster. Mr. Barrow stated that it will be necessary for the Land Settlement Board to give effect to legislation passed at the recent session of the Legislature, which further amended the Land Settlement and Development Act in connection with the acquisition of land out of production and not voluntarily disposed of by its owners. At present barely more than one-third of the 50,000 acres already proclaimed a settlement area in the Bulkley and Nechako valleys has been voluntarily turned over to the Board. This means that the other two-thirds will have to be acquired by compulsory

purchase at the appraisal value, whether the owners like the procedure or otherwise.

High Priced Land.
Many returned soldiers desirous of settling in this section of the Province, says Mr. Barrow, have gone away by reason of the high price asked for unleased land. Additional settlement areas, however, will continue to increase development in which the returned soldier is given special facilities.

PICKPOCKETS ACTIVE DURING CELEBRATIONS

Several People Lost Their
Pocket-books During Rushes
For Gorge Street Cars

Pickpockets were about on Victoria Day and did a very profitable business. Working amongst large crowds, particularly the rushes in boarding street cars, the sleight-of-hand men secured several citizens of their pocket-books and other valuables. The police have received a number of complaints from persons who were victims of the crooks.

One person reported that his pocket-book containing considerable money and electrical contracts was taken from his pocket while he was getting on the Gorge car on Saturday morning. Another party boarding the Gorge car after the evening celebrations lost his pocket-book containing \$40.

A third party is mystified over the disappearance of his pocket-book. When the Japanese Tea Gardens at the Gorge he remembered having his wallet, but on looking in his coat yesterday found it missing as well as \$67. He is not sure whether it was taken on his trip for a street car at the Gorge terminus or whether someone entered his house and took it during the night.

No house robberies were reported to the police during the week-end, due, no doubt, to the advice given through The Times by the authorities for all people to lock their doors and fasten their windows when out. The police hand out some good advice in respect to dealing with pickpockets. "Keep your hand on your pocket-book" is the friendly tip.

OFFICIALLY "DEAD;" UNOFFICIALLY ALIVE

Nursing Sister Macdonald Still
Lives in Spite of
Washington

According to the military authorities at Washington, Nursing Sister Elizabeth Macdonald is officially dead. She "died" while serving with the American Forces in France, and the cause of her "death" was influenza. The Times made the first announcement some weeks ago, and Washington still persists that the military authorities have nothing to retract; the idea of Nursing Sister Macdonald being alive is ridiculous to the official mind. Convinced that there is no mistake the sister's pay has been discontinued and her name has been inscribed upon the honor roll of the church which Miss Macdonald attended in Chicago. A short time ago, it will be recalled, Provincial Livestock Commissioner Macdonald received a letter from his sister telling him that while her illness had been a very serious one, she had come through the ordeal, and was very far from being a corpse. Even this letter received from his sister by Mr. Macdonald this morning she indicates that she will arrive at New York some time next month.

Actual contact with the "corpse" will doubtless prompt the Washington official to issue a back-pay cheque and the Chicago church to erase the name from the commemorative tablet.

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CAPT. BRACE IS ON HIS WAY TO CHINA

Spoke in Metropolitan Methodist Church on His Work
Last Night

After completing two years' service in France Capt. A. J. Brace, accompanied by Mrs. Brace and children, is returning to his field of labor in China, where for six years prior to his decision to go to the war he was engaged in Y. M. C. A. work. Capt. Brace will be remembered by numerous Victorians as the secretary of the Broad Street Y. M. C. A. for a number of years and under whose directions the campaign for securing funds for the new educational building on Blanshard Street, was carried out.

Capt. Brace states that China was anxious to get into the war on the side of the Allies soon after the outbreak of hostilities. Immediately after the republic declared war large numbers of Chinese swang to the field of labor in China, and Capt. Brace was placed in charge of a contingent which passed through Victoria on his way to France. These Orientals were working in conjunction with the British Army, but Capt. Brace's battalion was allotted to the reserve trenches behind the ridge. When this position was threatened by two flanking movements a year ago, owing to the rapid advances of the Germans on the Somme and in the La Bassée sector.

On returning to Canada Capt. Brace took a position in Toronto in connection with the re-settlement of Canadian soldiers owing to the ill-health of Mrs. Brace. As soon as his wife was declared fit he decided to return to his work in China.

Last evening Capt. Brace spoke in the Metropolitan Methodist Church dealing partly with his work in China. He referred to the republic as a sleeping child, which when awakened will stir the world. He also referred to the remarkable powers of concentration possessed by the Chinaman, which enabled him to secure a marvelous understanding of any topic which he studied.

Capt. Brace also paid great tribute to the gallantry of the Canadian troops, especially during the critical period last spring.

COMING WEDNESDAY

Commercial Club of Port Angeles Will Visit City 400 Strong.

The Commercial Club of Port Angeles will pay a visit to Victoria on Wednesday, according to word received by the city by the Victoria and Island Development Association, and other public bodies. The party will arrive on the steamer Sol Duc at 9 o'clock Wednesday morning. The steamer will remain in port until 12.30 in order to allow the visitors to take a run about the city.

It is reported that about four hundred visitors from across the Strait will arrive, and small boats will be pressed into service in order to look after many who will not be able to get accommodation on the Sol Duc.

OBITUARY RECORD

Mrs. Flora Todd, widow of James Todd, and member of one of the early pioneer families of Victoria, passed away on Sunday evening at her home at Cedar Hill Road at the age of seventy-eight years. She was a native daughter of Victoria and leaves to mourn her loss eight sons, John and William of Seattle, Charles and Harry of this city, Fred and Donald in Prince Rupert, Frank in Arizona, and Thomas now with the overseas forces, and one daughter, Miss Todd at Tacoma.

The funeral is being held at the B. C. Funeral Chapel and will be held at St. Luke's Cedar Hill, tomorrow at 2.30. Interment will be made in the family plot at St. Luke's cemetery.

The funeral of the late Lieut. Alfred Christian Cleeves was held from the B. C. Funeral Chapel on Saturday, proceeding to the Roman Catholic Church at South Saanich where service was held at 10 a.m. High Mass was solemnized by Rev. Father Silver, assisted by Rev. Father Rondon. There was a large attendance at the service and a profusion of floral tributes testified to the popularity of the late soldier. Interment was made in the cemetery adjoining the church. The casket was borne by Messrs. R. Streetfield, Hedley, Richards, J. Hagan, Rother and Lindley Crease, K.C.

At the Jubilee Hospital last night the death occurred of Pte. William Selwyn Rutherford, R.A.F., only son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Rutherford of Duncan. The late soldier was twenty-nine years of age, and was born in New Zealand, coming to Duncan with his parents six years ago. The remains are being held at the B. C. Funeral Chapel, where service will be held at 2.30 to-morrow afternoon, the Rev. F. H. Fatt officiating. Interment with full military honors will be made at Ross Bay cemetery.

The remains of the late John R. Bell, son of John Bell of 614 Cornwall Street, a victim of the Sophia disaster, were brought to the city from the north this morning and are being held at the B. C. Funeral Chapel. Funeral announcement will be made later.

DESERTER GETS A YEAR

Francis M. O'Connor Disappeared From Siberian Forces When Ordered Overseas.

Francis Hugh O'Connor was sentenced to one year's imprisonment in the police court this morning by Magistrate Jay on a charge of desertion. Evidence was given which showed

that O'Connor had enlisted in the Canadian Army through the British Recruiting Mission in San Francisco last year. He was placed in the Siberian forces and on the day they were to sail for the Orient deserted. A few days ago he was apprehended in the artillery forces at Work Point. When he joined the artillery he swore that he had not served before.

VICTORIA COUPLE WEDDED

Miss May Knight Became Bride of James Macpherson on Saturday Morning.

At the residence of the officiating minister, Rev. W. Leslie Clay, D.D., the marriage took place on Saturday morning at 9.30 a.m. of James Macpherson, son of Capt. D. Macpherson, of Victoria, and Miss May Knight, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Knight, of this city. Mr. and Mrs. Macpherson left on the afternoon boat for Vancouver, where a brief honeymoon was spent, and from which they returned to-day. They have taken up their residence at 70 Menzies Street.

WANT MOTOR LICENSES

Nanaimo Auto Association Would Divide Fees Between Government and Municipality.

That the municipalities in which cars are owned should receive fifty per cent of the taxes paid by way of automobile licenses, to go toward the cost of repairing roads and streets in such municipalities is the suggestion offered by the executive of the Nanaimo Automobile Association.

In a letter written to C. L. Harris, secretary of the Island Automobile Association, the suggestion is made that a meeting be held in Duncan about the third week in June for the purpose of considering any questions that may arise and it is believed that on that date the joint representations of the various automobile associations on the island will be made in connection with this point.

Remember the Oak Bay community welcome to returned men and their ladies in the lecture room of St. Columba Church to-night at 8 o'clock.

Will Arrange Interview—Mayor Porter will endeavor to arrange an interview with the Executive Council to take place immediately. The city representatives will ask for an increased educational grant.

Roof Fire—A roof fire at 241 Niagara Street last night kept the Fire Department busy for a few minutes. Very little damage was done.

Auxiliary Will Meet—The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Auxiliary to the Royal Jubilee Hospital will be held to-morrow afternoon at half past two at the Nurses' Home.

Vancouver Milling Company's Float. The Vancouver Milling Company's Grain Company had a float in Saturday's street parade featuring two of their products, Royal Standard flour, and Wild Rose pastry flour.

Saturday's Parade—The Victoria Baggage Company had a fine exhibit in the parade on Saturday. The four-horse turn-out with the grain elevators and the motor truck loaded with baggage was also a special feature.

Called to Minimum Wage Conference—The Minimum Wage Board has arranged for a conference to be held in the court house, Vancouver, on May 28, the subject of discussion to be "Public Housekeeping." The following have been called to the conference for the employees: Miss Polly Brisbane, Vancouver; Mrs. Campbell, Victoria; Miss Ovington, Victoria; Miss Eva Webster, Vancouver; Miss McTaggart, New Westminster. Employers: Stephen Jones, Victoria; H. F. Stevenson, Victoria; T. Smidley, Vancouver. For the public: Dr. Whittington, New Westminster; Mrs. Robbins, Revelstoke; Mrs. Graves, Victoria. Messrs. J. K. McKenzie, New Westminster, and Albert Austin have also been called.

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OUR FOOD EXPORTS.

To the Editor:—I have read with interest the articles in which you give the support of The Times to the resolution passed by the G. W. V. A. regarding the imports and exports to and from Canada. As I have been a farmer on the prairie for many years I would be pleased if you would kindly allow me space for a few lines on this matter, from a food-producer's point of view. The resolution calls upon the Government to remove all duties and war taxes on food imported in Canada, and also calls upon the Government to prohibit the export of food from Canada until the needs of Canada have been satisfied.

It is evident that The Times and G. W. V. A. are free traders in regard to imports only; their free trade principles do not apply to exports. On this principle the G. W. V. A. should call upon the Government to prohibit the shipyards from supplying vessels to France. These vessels should remain Canadian—we surely need them. The Government to fix the price of wheat at \$1.50 per bushel, but The Times is doubtful if this is not twenty-five cents too much.

It is clear that both The Times and G. W. V. A. believe that the farmers are picking up money very fast. We are not the rich of our cities there are thousands of men out of work, men who want work badly, but cannot get it.

I cannot speak of other provinces, but I know that in Saskatchewan (Canada's greatest wheat-growing Province) there are millions of acres of splendid land that can be bought for one dollar from ten dollars to twenty dollars per acre. Surely this is not an exorbitant price. If land is worth anything, it is worth this. This is an opportunity to get into the money—and into the work. Only a very short time since, the Government and press of Canada made very earnest appeals to the farmers to grow more wheat. "Grow wheat, and more wheat, to save the country." If I remember right The Times joined very earnestly in the appeal. And now the G. W. V. A. calls upon the Government to shut out Canadian farmers from all the world's markets until Canada's needs have been supplied. I cannot believe that men who have been chosen as leaders of men really believe that any Government in a free country could begin to do this.

In any case I am quite sure that if a Government was foolish enough to try to hold up the farmers in this way, the farmers would take particular care that this did not happen again the next year. But if the people of Canada really wish the Government to go into the wheat-buying business, there is nothing to prevent them from going to the Winnipeg Grain Exchange at any time and buying all the grain they want, always provided that they are prepared to pay the market price for such wheat, and leaders of the G. W. V. A. ought to know if they are fit to be leaders, that no Government in a free country can begin to take goods without paying the market value.

Canadian farmers do not ask for or expect any favors from the Government, or from any one else, but surely they have a right to expect that they can dispose of the product of their labor in open market.

GEORGE DOBSON,
Pleasant Avenue, Oak Bay, May 22.

THE CATERPILLAR PEST.

To the Editor:—"It seems strange that the authorities in Victoria regard so lightly that which is treated so seriously elsewhere. Now we read that the spraying of trees, bands or bests of some thick poisonous stuff, harmless to vegetation, were painted around the trunks at some distance from the ground, and the caterpillars would not cross these places. This might be useful if our popular trees are attacked by the worms that were so destructive and repulsive last summer. Maybe our city fathers are more far-sighted than the man in the street gives them credit for. It is the fact that we cannot show tourists such natural wonders as the Mammoth Caves, or the Arizona Grand Canyon; but thank what a splendid headline it will afford the Development Association if they can in the near—very near—future invite the world and his wife to come and see the Isle of Skeleton Trees!"

A LOVER OF TREES.

TO DAM THE ARM.

To the Editor: May I be permitted, through the medium of your paper, the privilege of discussing the desirability of immediately proceeding with plans for the construction of a dam across Victoria Arm at the Narrows near Burleigh?

If this beautiful expanse of water is to be preserved for our citizens and the many visitors which we entertain, now is the time for action. With the four municipalities interested and working together, no real financial difficulties should be encountered. The benefits accruing from this improvement would be numerous and far-reaching, and all of our citizens would be well advised to study, at close range, their possibilities especially at this time of the year, when hundreds will be visiting the district.

From a sanitary point of view, if for no other reason, this work should be proceeded with. It is very well-

known that with the flow of each tide much sewage is deposited on the various beaches; again, it is impossible to maintain them, as sand and gravel placed thereon is only labor and material lost owing to the ebb and flow of the tide.

For a bathing resort, with beaches renovated, water pure and warm (because of the stationary condition), Victoria would be second to none on the continent. As to in-door baths, at a slight cost, on the upper side of the dam, constructed and maintained as would be slight. As to a regatta course, could a more ideal one be imagined, and where on the continent is there a natural observation point fitted to accommodate large crowds that will compare with the banks of the gorge?

The dam would furnish bridge facilities, connecting Burnside district with Victoria West. The lift for boats and gates dam are matters for the engineer, but the storage of water above the dam, which could be released at intervals when tide is low, is a sanitary feature which should not be lost sight of.

Regarding water supply: it is but a short distance from upper reach of waters to Esquimalt Harbor, or should the citizens desire to make a fresh water lake, surplus from Sooke Lake and the Elk Lake could be turned in and the place stocked with trout, adding an attraction to the district, and a fish hatchery of no small value. I believe, Mr. Editor, we owe this work to ourselves and to posterity, but if there is any citizen who doubts this, I will mention one more reason. Hundreds of boys from all sections in the district spent part of their boyhood days at play in these waters—many of them have gone overseas to return no more. I trust that all citizens will see to it that this work is completed and dedicated to their name.

GEORGE OLIVER.

May 21, 1919.

PEACE RIVER PEOPLE WANT RAIL EXTENSION

Petition for P. G. E. With
Many Signatures Reach
Premier Oliver

Settlers in the Peace River section do not intend to allow the Government to forget that the logical sequel to present construction of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway Company is rail connection by the Province-owned system between the Pacific Coast and the great hinterland.

Several delegations have already waited upon the Provincial Executive, and this morning the Premier was provided with a petition signed by one of the settlers and residents around that section of the country.

The preamble sets out the various handicaps under which are farmers are compelled to labor and winds up with the pointed reminder that not only is rail communication necessary but that it is necessary at once. In other words, the petitioners urge the Government to undertake construction this year.

Before making any pronouncement on the subject the Premier will discuss the matter with the Cabinet, although lack of funds will doubtless eliminate any possibility of a programme to the Peace River country this year.

BUREAUS ESTABLISHED

Four More Offices Are Opened by Superintendent Powley.

Lieut.-Col. A. Bruce Powley, Superintendent of Provincial Labor Bureaus, returned to the Parliament Buildings this morning from the interior, where he established four additional bureaus at Vernon, Nelson, Cranbrook and Fernie.

Announcement will be made shortly of the personnel of the staffs to be employed at these points, and choices are made from the list of applicants now in the hands of the Civil Service Commissioner.

Colonel Powley told The Times representative these points are choice work and demand for lumbering and mining labor in each of the four localities named, and he noted with satisfaction that little or no congestion existed.

FLIGHT-LIEUT. "BILL" STUBBS RETURNS HOME

After serving with the Royal Air Force in the south of Italy for six months, Flight Lieut. William "Bill" Stubbs has returned to Victoria. From Italy Lieut. Stubbs helped to carry on bombing operations over Austria and Montenegro territory, flying across the Adriatic.

Before leaving for overseas service, Lieut. Stubbs was very well-known in Victoria both during his High School days, and later when he entered the teaching profession.

FEELING HIGH OVER ALLEGED SHOOTING

Feeling runs high at Quesnel over the alleged shooting of a young woman by a Provincial policeman, according to information received to-day by Chief Myron. Under these circumstances, Inspector Frank Edens, who has charge of the case, judged it best to remove Constable Harris, charged with attempted murder, to Okalla Prison Farm.

One Returned Man.—Pte. T. H. English returned from overseas by the afternoon boat.



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JOHN HELMCKEN RETURNS

Prominent University School Athlete Returns From Three Years' Service.

Corp. John Helmcken, son of the late Dr. J. D. Helmcken, returned to Victoria on Saturday afternoon after three years overseas' service.

Corp. Helmcken left here in the spring of 1916 with the 62nd Battery, and in England transferred to the 58th Howitzer Battery, and went to France with that unit. He went through many months of terrific fighting without sustaining a scratch and participated in the triumphal march to the Rhine.

Before going overseas, Corp. Helmcken was attending the University School and was one of its prominent athletes, being a runner of some note and a fast and hard rugby player.

Dibney—Those are the noisiest chickens I ever heard.
 Wife—Well, they're Leghorns.

HORSE CAME INTO ITS OWN SATURDAY

Street Pageant Was Best Seen Here For Many Years; the Awards

Horse-drawn vehicles again came into their own when a street pageant is organized, and unquestionably the motor vehicles in Saturday morning's pageant were successfully rivalled by the older form of transportation. Nothing could exceed the fine teams drawing the Soldiers' Civil Re-Establishment floats from the Convalescent Hospitals, one of the finest features of the day.

The pageant was the best street spectacle observed in Victoria for a long time and in spite of leaden skies and showers a crowd had gathered downtown to cheer the parade. The management had the excellent taste to vary the procession, so that there was not too much of any feature to the curiosity. Tastes and individual predilections of course favored some exhibits above others, but on the whole the most effective were those decorated with flowers, or tableaux illustrative of patriotic or historical subjects. Best of the last-named was the carnival shown by the Knights of Columbus.

As was to be expected, war time, the "tanks," aeroplanes fashioned on bicycles, and similar reminders of the late struggles occupied a great deal of attention. The individual exhibits of the veterans' associations were notable, particularly the G. W. V. A. and Army and Navy Veterans' Associations' exhibits. "H. M. Victoria," displayed by the naval section of the latter body, was an admirable representation, supported by its naval escort.

Among the patriotic floats, the Red Cross exhibit to "house" Muggins was a splendid composition of flowers, worked in the famous society's colors, while the most effective of the commercial exhibits were those of the Foundation Company, whose model has been already described, of E. G. Prior & Co., and Jamieson's coffee plant. Prior's float deserved the honors from the judges, the living models not only being an excellent advertisement for the firm, but being planned in good taste. The Fire Department, Cadets, Boy Scouts, bands, pipes, and others led the way to Beacon Hill park, where Mayor Porter, Stephen Jones and E. E. Jenkins, the judges, made the awards as follows:

Floral—1st prize, E. G. Prior & Co. for sports float; 2nd prize, Soldiers' Civil Re-Establishment float; 3rd prize, The Red Cross, "Muggins."

Decorated Bicycles—1st prize, aeroplanes (Raymond Bow); 2nd prize, tank; 3rd prize, small Japanese boy, (Archie MacAllister).

Tableaux—Floral—1st prize, Peace; 2nd prize, G. W. V. A.; 3rd prize, "Britannia" (Army and Navy Veterans).

Private Cars—1st prize, No. 10,759; 2nd prize, No. 11,666; 3rd prize, No. 15,590.

Comics—1st prize, "Tilly"; 2nd prize, "Patriotic Lady"; 3rd prize, "Daughters of the Soil."

BUMPER STRAWBERRY CROP IS IN SIGHT

First Local Berries on Market Next Week; Rains Promise Heavy Crop

The strawberry crop in the Gordon Head district this year will be an entire success, according to present indications, reports H. A. McNaughton, secretary of the Gordon Head Fruit Growers' Association. The favorable weather conditions this spring and the recent rains have practically assured this condition, and it is anticipated that the production will total 150 tons. About ten carloads will be shipped to the prairies, eight carloads will go to a jam manufacturer in Hamilton, Ontario, local jam manufacturers have contracted for a considerable supply, and the balance will be sold on the local market.

"The prospects are good. The weather for the berry crop has been the most favorable experienced in the past three years, and though the acreage in Gordon Head for strawberries is a little less than last year, the crop will be so much heavier that this season's production will far surpass that of last, which was a failure on account of climatic conditions," said Mr. McNaughton. There are between 115 and 120 acres planted in strawberries in the Gordon Head district this year.

Within the past few days the growers have begun to lay the straw for their berries, and Mr. McNaughton believes that the first berries will be put on the market next week.

A wrong impression seems to have gone abroad that all of the Gordon Head strawberry crop has been sold to an Eastern manufacturer. Mr. McNaughton explains that only seventy-five tons will be shipped to Ontario, and there will be plenty of berries for local consumption.

The Saanich growers are also optimistic, the Kelling plantations being very promising.

Prices for the local market will be based on general market conditions throughout Canada, which, of course, are influenced by the Oregon producers, who alone ship as many as three or four hundred carloads of strawberries during the season.

CONCERTED ACTION ON COST OF LIVING

James Bay Residents Call Meeting; Other Districts Ready

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Women's Slip-over Gowns and Envelope Chemise, in flesh and white mull. The daintiest creations, trimmed in a variety of styles, with fine lace and insertions, medallions and satin yokes. These are oddments selected from our regular stock and are slightly mussed through handling. Regular values to \$2.50. Special Tuesday \$1.69

Women's Habutai and Pongee Silk Waists

Special Tuesday \$2.98

A Real Snap Piece in Smart Candy Stripe, White Habutai and Pongee Waists. They are made in a variety of pleasing styles with round, square and V-shaped necks, sizes 34 to 44. Extra special Tuesday, at \$2.98

Children's Bathing Suits, 98¢

Children's Stockinette Bathing Suits, in navy trimmed with red; sizes 2 to 14 years. Special at 98¢

56-Inch Cream Broadcloth, \$7.50 Yard

A very much wanted material of superior weave with bright finish. Makes very smart suits, etc.; 56 inches wide. Yard \$7.50

56-Inch Cream Serge, \$5.00 Yard

56-Inch English Cream Serge, with black hairline—hue stripe. Makes stylish suits and separate skirts. Good even weave and very durable. Yard \$5.00

Display of Popular Wash Fabrics

Beach Cloth—The season's most popular fabric, in all the wanted shades. Standard grades and reliable colors. They do not wrinkle easily nor show soil. Suitable for dresses and suits. Two qualities to choose from: 34 inches wide, per yard, 50¢. Colors old rose, lavender, resea green, gold, old blue and sky blue.

Exceptionally fine quality, 36 inches wide, per yard, 95¢. Colors Palm Beach, old rose, pink, white, natural and myrtle green.

Novelty Plaid Gingham—A large showing of new Plaid Gingham, woven of extra fine cotton yarn, which will stand lots of wear. Very fashionable material for ladies' and children's dresses. We have an excellent range of Novelty Plaid designs in the most pleasing color combinations; 32 inches wide. Per yard 65¢

Novelty Stripe Crepes—In artistic color effects, specially suitable for suits, dresses and evening skirts; 30 inches wide. Per yard 45¢

Colored Hellebreds, an excellent fabric for ladies' and children's dresses, rompers, boys' suits, etc. A good quality plain woven material; will launder splendidly and give exceptionally good wear. Colors old rose, helio, brown, pink, dark blue, natural and green; 34 inches wide. Per yard 45¢

Crepes—New Spring Crepes are here in all the beautiful colorings. A very serviceable material for ladies' and children's wear; 30 inches wide. Per yard 45¢

Dress Gingham—An exceptional heavy quality dress gingham; very durable; self colors, lavender, pink, sky, Copenhagen blue, navy, resea green and brown; 26 inches wide. Per yard, 50¢

Novelty Plaids—In a heavy weight material, artistic color combinations and excellent wearing qualities especially suited for ladies' and children's dresses and skirts; 32 inches wide. Per yard \$1.00

Kremlaine Winceys—Cream Wincey, exceptionally good quality; unshrinkable; suitable for ladies' suits, dresses and underwear—

36-in. yard \$1.50
 42-in. fine quality, yard, \$1.75
 42-in. superfine quality, per yard \$1.95

Women's Bungalow Aprons Special Tuesday 98¢

Women's Bungalow Aprons, made of heavy print, in medium and light shades; generous sizes. Special Tuesday at 98¢

Comforters Recovered at a Saving of About One-Third

All This Week

Size 60 x 72-Inch Comforters Re-covered, Special, \$5.75.

The material alone is worth this price, or 65¢ per yard. A fine quality silk-finished satinette, in dainty bedroom patterns and fine quality chintz, in dainty stripes, on cream and white grounds with pink and blue shades. This offer is good for this week only. 60 x 72 inch comforters re-covered, two rows of quilting and the centre tied with wool. All this week, special \$5.75

Size 60 x 72 Inch Comforters Re-covered, Special, \$4.75.

Fine quality satinette, silk finish, in pretty designs, all suitable for bedroom use; light and dark shades. All comforters to be covered complete, with two rows of quilting and the centre tied with cotton wool to match. All this week, special, \$4.75

Sample Corsets, Corset Waists and Brassieres at Clean-up Prices

If you wear a size 20, 21, or 22 Corset, do not fail to take advantage of these snaps. They are the Dominion Corset Co.'s samples, which include D. & A. and La Diva Back-Laced Corsets, Goddess Front-Laced Corsets, Corset Waists and Brassieres.



41 pairs, regular 75¢ to \$1.25 values, Tuesday at 59¢

86 pairs, regular \$1.75 to \$3.75 values, Tuesday at \$1.39

Ninety pairs, regular \$4.00 to \$12.00 values, tomorrow \$3.49

P.C. Corsets Special \$1.98

P. C. Corsets, in two good models, for medium and stout figures, made of strong coutil, with four strong hose supports; sizes 20 to 30. Special at \$1.98

For Sale By Tender

Lots 20, 19 and 18, with frontage on Speed Ave. 225 ft. and 132 ft. frontage on Steel St.; depth, 120 ft., with 1 house, divided, 2 apartments, 3 rooms; bathroom and sink upstairs, 4 rooms, sink and toilet downstairs; full size cement basement; toilet and tubs piped in basement. 1 house, 6 rooms and bathroom, wash tubs, and piped for additional toilet, also 68 x 20 ft. store; could be converted into dwelling; 3-car garage; 3-stall barn and sheds. Plans for further extension on this property are prepared, showing this to be money-making proposition; low taxes; 5 years improvement paid. Improvement tax \$34.00 per year, 5 years paid; \$33.00 per year, general tax. For further particulars apply.

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